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“Remember the days of old, consider the years of many generations; ask thy father, and he will show thee; thy elders, and they will tell thee.”—Deut. 32, 7.

“Those who do not look upon themselves as a link connecting the past with the future, do not perform their duty to the world.”—Daniel Webster.

“Ancestral glory is a lamp to posterity.”—Gallust.

“We are the carriages in which our ancestors ride.”—Unknown.

“The great ocean of national existence is made up of the single drops of individual life and action.”—Edward Everett.

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Pilgrim Hymn

O God, beneath thy guiding hand
Our exiled fathers crossed the sea;
And when they trod the wintry strand,
With prayer and Psalm they worshipped Thee.

Thou heard'st well pleased, the song, the prayer;
Thy blessing came; and still its power
Shall onward, through all ages, bear
The memory of that holy hour.

Laws, freedom, truth, and faith in God
Came with those exiles o'er the waves;
And where their pilgrim feet have trod,
The God they trusted guards their graves.

And here Thy Name, O God of love,
Their children's children shall adore,
'Till these eternal hills remove,
And spring adorns the earth no more.

(John Hatton, died 1793)

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Preface

The individual is the unit, and the family the intermediate group which makes up the state and the nation. The history of the nation is therefore made up of the acts and achievements of the individuals and families which compose that nation. Edward Everett says, "The great ocean of national existence is made up of the single drops of individual life and action."

It adds a special charm and personal interest to one's life when he is able to trace his existence back through generations of ancestors who have acquitted themselves well on the battlefields and in the work-shops of life; and the lives of these ancestors should serve as an inspiration to us and bid us to carry the torch of family achievement to still higher objectives. Some one has said, "We are the vehicles in which our ancestors ride."

The exhilaration of discovery is a delightful experience, and to be able to rescue from obliteration and oblivion the fast fading and perishable tablets and parchments upon which are recorded the simple annals and proud achievements of our fathers, is a pleasure which well compensates the effort of him who makes the search and unlocks these hidden treasures.

The personal anecdote which biography gives to history flings a charm over the annals of a people, which interests the mind and engages the heart; for it introduces us to our fathers, hands us a chair at their fireside and makes us familiar in their households. It teaches us also to love them, while we feel honored by them as friends communing with us on equal footing. Thus are drawn closer the bonds that tie together the generations into one family, teaching us that these bonds are strong which selfishness would persuade us are weak.

Every family has its traditions, its peculiar nomenclature, its distinctive family traits and tendencies which are interesting and in which its members have a justifiable pride. These should be carefully perused, studied and handed down from generation to generation as a part of the family inheritance. We should especially preserve and perpetuate the good old christian names which have been preserved and repeated from former generations. Notice in the Hart family the repetition of the good old names of John, Silas, Julius, Lyman, Philae, Philena, Maria, Julia, etc.

In this brief history of the Silas Hart family, we have endeavored to secure our information from original and indisputable sources and every statement made in this connection has been verified. Much information concerning the earlier generations of the family has been secured from other publications found in the genealogical departments of large eastern libraries, and especially from "Stephen Hart and His Descendants" published by Alfred Andrews in 1875. To collect all the data and material has required years of correspondence, some travel and much work, but we have found it a pleasant employment and friends have been especially kind in rendering assistance.

This history discloses that the Hart, Warren and Swift families, all prominent in the colonial history of the United States, are directly con-

nected in kinship. The members of the Silas Hart and Phile Swift Hart family, the names of nearly all of whom appear in this history, are direct descendants of Richard Warren, one of the Mayflower passengers, and through him descendants of such notables as Tiberius and Constantine the Great, Emperors of the Roman Empire, King Alfred the Great, William the Conqueror, Charlemagne, and Hugh the Great, leader of the First Crusade. By reason of this relationship, all the members of this family are eligible to membership in the Society of Mayflower Descendants and a number of other historical and patriotic societies. We are justified in taking pride in these ancestors, not to glorify ourselves, but to inspire us to emulate their virtues and their service to mankind.

The more we learn about the four Hart families leaving descendants, (Philena Hart Sweet, John Swift Hart, Julius Caesar Hart and Julia Maria Milner) stemming from our common ancestors Silas Hart and Phile Swift Hart, the more closely should we be knit to one another and the more deeply should we feel and appreciate our common heritage. May this volume serve that purpose.

The Author.

CHAPTER I

Introduction

The name "Hart" seems to be common to several nationalities. England, Scotland and Ireland all have their Harts. The origin of the name is not known. It is quite probable that it is derived from David's beautiful animal which panted for the waterbrooks. There has been some **diversity** of spelling of the name even by the members of the same lineage, the name appearing variously as Hart, Hartt, Harte, Heart and Hearte, but the proper and most accepted spelling is simply Hart.

Mark Antony Lower, an English philologist in his "Essays on Family Nomenclature" (1842), classifies English surnames as originating in locality, occupation, dignities, physical and mental qualities, natural objects, social relations, virtues and vices, historical events, etc. He places the name "Hart" among those originating from natural objects, or specifically from the animal by that name, while he classifies the name Heart among those names derived from parts of the human body.

According to Savage's Genealogical Dictionary there were at least four distinct families of Harts who came to America from England prior to the year 1692. The two most important of these are the one here considered, and the family to which John Hart of New Jersey, signer of the Declaration of Independence, belonged.

This history concerns Stephen Hart as a common ancestor and Silas Hart as his descendant. A brief history of each generation is hereafter given in order. The old town of Farmington, Conn., so rich in early history, is the cradle of the Hart family in America, a family very numerous, honorable, and distinguished for piety, industry and patriotism. Rev. Smalley who in 1758 settled in New Britain, then a parish of Farmington, had his congregation largely composed of Stanleys and Harts, and he often said that he "looked to the Harts for grace and the Stanleys for money."

It is found that the members of the Hart family generally were above medium size, dark complexioned, with dark hair and eyes. They were domestic, had a great love of home, and seldom wandered far for a settlement in life, although this has not been universally true of later generations. Many of its members have from time to time pushed westward into the American wilderness and there established for themselves homes to become pioneers in civilization. They are now scattered all over the world, and it is estimated that there are over ten thousand members of the Deacon Stephen Hart family now living in America.

The patriotism of the family is established by the great number of its members found in the ranks of the armies of the Colonial Wars and the armies of 1775, 1812 and 1861, 1918 and 1942, either as officers or privates. Over five hundred members of the family have been soldiers in these wars. The learned professions also have been and are well represented, especially in clergymen, physicians, lawyers and authors.

A study of the characteristics of the family reveals the fact that its members are generally strong in initiative, in aspiration for culture and learning, active community leaders, not given to the accumulation of much wealth, but withal thrifty and fairly prosperous.

CHAPTER II

First American Generation—Deacon Stephen Hart

Deacon Stephen Hart was born about 1605, at Braintree, an old market town about forty miles northeast of London in Essex County, England. He came from there to Massachusetts Bay about 1632, and located for a time at Newtown (now Cambridge), Mass. His first wife died, when second he married Margaret Smith, the widow of Arthur Smith. She survived Deacon Hart, and was admitted to the church at Farmington, Conn., March 17, 1690. She died in 1693, there being no children to this second marriage.

Stephen Hart was a member of the company which settled at Braintree, Mass., and subsequently removed to Newtown, since called Cambridge, and was a deacon of the church of which Rev. Thomas Hooker was pastor. A very close attachment arose between this noted pastor and Deacon Hart. Stephen Hart was in Cambridge in 1632, and admitted a freeman there, May 14, 1634.

Stephen Hart and family migrated to Hartford with Mr. Hooker's company in 1635, and was one of the original proprietors of that place. His house-lot was on the west side of what is now called Front Street, near where Morgan Street crosses it, and there is a tradition that the town was named from the ford he discovered and used in crossing the Connecticut River at a low stage of water. From Hart's Ford it soon became Hartford from a natural and easy transition.

Three Massachusetts towns had been foremost in the struggle against aristocracy — Watertown, Dorchester and Newtown. In 1635, the people of these towns made a new migration to the Connecticut Valley, to build a new democratic state. The two weeks journey "through the forests, with women and children, herds and household goods, was the first of the overland pilgrimages which were to become so characteristic of American life." The prime mover of this movement was Thomas Hooker who desired to find a more democratic community than that found in Massachusetts Bay around Boston. Stephen Hart joined him in this new enterprise and became one of the leaders in it.

Hooker in his greatest political sermon proclaimed that (1) the foundations of authority is laid in the consent of the governed; (2) the choice of the magistrates belongs to the people; and (3) those who have the power to appoint officers, have also the right to set bounds to their authority. For a time the three Connecticut towns kept their Massachusetts names, but later they were changed to Hartford, Wethersfield and Windsor. (See History of the American Nation (1929) by Willis Mason West, pages 105, 107).

Deacon Stephen Hart in conjunction with his pastor, Rev. Hooker, and other members of the settlement built the first church in Hartford in 1636 and a school was opened in 1638. In 1637 the first general court of the towns of Hartford, Windsor and Weathersfield, of which Stephen Hart was a member, met at Hartford; and on January 14, 1639, a popular assembly of the inhabitants of these three towns adopted the first written American

Constitution. Hence it is written that, "The birthplace of American democracy is Hartford."

The Pequot Indians, with Uncas as their chief, occupied a narrow strip of coast in southern Connecticut from the Niantic River to the Rhode Island boundary. They numbered about three thousand and were the most warlike of all the New England Indians. In 1634, the Pequots entered into a treaty with the colonists at Boston, but failed to keep the peace. Expeditions were sent against them and in 1637 they were surprised at a fort near the present site of Groton, Conn. In the battle which ensued and the subsequent one at Fairfield Swamp the tribe was nearly annihilated. During this war, which is known in history as the "Pequot War," Stephen Hart served as a soldier under Mason, and by reason of this fact his lineal descendants are eligible to membership in the "Society of Colonial Wars."

Stephen Hart was one of the fifty-four settlers at Cambridge, Mass., was a proprietor at Hartford, Conn., in 1635, and became one of the eighty-four proprietors of Farmington in 1672. In 1647 he was one of the "deputyes" of the General Court of Connecticut, at its May session. In 1653, he was appointed a commissioner by the General Court for the town of Farmington, to aid the constable in impressing men into the army then being raised.

Tradition says that while he and others were on a hunting excursion on Talcott Mountain, they discovered the Farmington River valley, then inhabited by the Tunxis, a powerful tribe of Indians. The meadows were probably then cleared, and waving with grass and indian corn. Such lands were then very much needed and coveted by settlers, who soon (about 1640) made a bargain with the Indians, and settled among them with their cattle. They still continued, however, to be connected with the settlement at Hartford, attended public worship and perhaps wintered there, until about 1645, when a new town was incorporated under the name of Farmington from the excellent farms there. The founders and incorporators of this village were John Steele, William Lewis, Stephen Hart, Thomas Judd, John Brownson, John Warner, Nathaniel Kellogg, Thomas Barnes, Richard Seymour and Thomas Gridley.

About this time Roger Newton, a student in theology under Rev. Thomas Hooker, whose daughter he married, began to preach for them and in 1652 was ordained their pastor. Stephen Hart was one of the "Seven Pillars" of the church, and was chosen the first deacon. The other pillars were Rev. Roger Newton, pastor, John Cole, John Bronson, Robert Porter, Thomas Judd and Thomas Thompson.

Stephen Hart appears to have taken the lead in the settlement among the Indians in Farmington, and purchased a large tract of land on the border of the present town of Avon, which tract is known to this day by the name of Hart's farm. The exact location is near Cider Brook, on the east side of the river and near the bridge, some three miles north of Farmington village.

Stephen Hart was one of the first representatives in the Connecticut Assembly or General Court in 1647, and continued with one exception, for fifteen sessions, until 1655. He was also a member in 1660. In short, no man in the town was more active, influential, and useful. His house-lot,

which was a large one, was on the west side of Main Street in the village, opposite the meeting house and contained fifteen acres, extending from Mill Lane to the stone store south. This fine house-lot was granted to Deacon Stephen Hart as an inducement to erect and continue a mill on the premises, "to be perpetuated and kept in motion." The mill was erected originally by the Bronsons, to whom, as a consideration, was granted a tract of eighty acres on the Pequabuk River, known as the "eighty Acre." Stephen Hart gave the south part of this house-lot to his son John and the north part to his son Thomas, and these lots are held by their descendants to this day.

Deacon Hart was a life long farmer and large land holder about the village of Farmington, a man of great influence, and a leading character in his day and generation. He died in March 1682, aged 77 years. Stephen Hart was by his first wife the father of six children, named as follows:

1. Sarah Hart who was born in England and who in 1644 was married to Thomas Porter and became the maternal ancestor of Ebenezer Porter DD., President of Andover Theological Seminary.

2. Mary Hart was first married to John Lee and second in 1672 to Jedediah Strong. She thereby became the maternal ancestor of the Lees of New England, and the grandmother of Jared Strong, Esq. of Southington.

3. **John Hart** representing the second American generation in this history.

4. Stephen Hart who was born about 1632 at Braintree, England. He is the ancestor of a large branch of the Hart family. His great, great, great grandson was Hon. Alphonso Hart of Ravenna, Ohio, one time member of the Department of Justice at Washington, D. C. Alphonso Hart was also a member of the Ohio House of Representatives, State Senator in 1870, and Presidential Elector at Large for the State of Ohio in 1872. In 1874, he was elected Lieutenant Governor of Ohio on the Republican ticket over Barnabus Burns in a close election by a plurality of 633. Stephen Hart was also the paternal ancestor of Dr. Albert Bushnell Hart, Professor of History in Harvard University.

5. Mehitable Hart who married John Cole, a grandson of James Cole of Hartford, from whom Coles Street in that city derives its name.

6. Capt. Thomas Hart was born in 1643 and married Ruth Hawkins. He was one of the most prominent men in the colony, having represented the town of Farmington in the General Court for twenty-nine sessions, of which body he was several times clerk and speaker. In October 1702 he was appointed to settle a boundary line between Connecticut and Rhode Island. His third son, Rev. John Hart who was born April 12, 1682, spent three years in college at Cambridge and entered Yale University at Saybrook in 1702, graduating there alone in 1703. He was the second graduate of Yale. He afterwards became an eminent minister. His great, great grandson, Major William Hart of Marietta, Ohio, was born in 1775 at Weathersfield, Conn., and was on active military duty and watch at the time of Aaron Burr's insurrection in 1806-1807 to prevent the boats in the Muskingum River from joining the fleet of Burr. Major William Hart's second wife, Mary Cass, was a cousin to Governor Lewis Cass of Michigan.

CHAPTER III

Second American Generation—John Hart

John Hart, of Farmington, Conn., eldest son of Deacon Stephen Hart, of Farmington was born in England about the year 1630 and came to Massachusetts with his father in 1632. He married Sarah about the year 1651. She joined the church at Farmington October 19, 1653. He was a freeman by the General Court of which his father was a member at its May session in 1654, and he was admitted to the church April 2, 1654.

John Hart was one of the first settlers of Tunxis, and bought his house-lot of the original owners. Among the list of eighty-four proprietors of Farmington in 1672, his lot is numbered as the "Estate of John Hart." At the October session of the General Court in 1660, a committee was appointed to examine "Thirty Mile Island" with the view of settlement, when John Hart of Farmington was elected one of such committee.

His sad and untimely death occurred on the night of December 15, 1666 by the burning of his house which was located near the center of the village. He and all the members of his family perished, with the single exception of his eldest son, John, who was that night at Nod, or Northington, since called Avon, looking after the stock on a farm they owned there. The Rev. Samuel Danforth, pastor of the first church in Roxbury kept a diary, and under date of February 11, 1666 (O. S.) appears the following entry: "Tidings came to us from Connecticut how that on ye 15th of 10M 66 Sergeant Hart, ye son of Deacon Hart and his wife, and six children were all burned in their house at Farmington, no man knowing how the fire was kindled, neither did any of the neighbors see ye fire till it was past remedy. The church there had kept a fast at this man's house two days before. One of his sons being at a farm, escaped this burning." The Rev. Simon Bradstreet of New London, Conn. also kept a journal and under date of December 1666 entered the following: "There was a house burned at Farmington in Connecticut jurisdiction. The man, his wife and six children were burned in it. The Lord is to be feared because of his judgments, 129 Psal. 120." This was likewise a public calamity, for the town records which were in the custody of John Hart were all burned at this time. The General Court made a diligent investigation of this matter but this neither restored life or records.

To John Hart and his wife Sarah were born seven children, the names of three of whom are known. They are: (1) Sarah Hart, born in Farmington about 1653, baptized October 23, 1653, burned to death December 16, 1666. (2) **John Hart** born in Farmington about 1655, baptized April 2, 1655, and saved from fire when eleven years of age by being at Nod on the night his father's house and family were burned. He represents the **third** generation in this history. (3) Steven Hart born in Farmington July 1657, baptized July 19, 1657, burned to death December 15, 1666.

CHAPTER IV

Third American Generation—Capt. John Hart

Capt. JOHN HART of Farmington, Conn., eldest son of John Hart and Sarah his wife who were burned to death by the burning of their house in 1666, was born in Farmington about 1655, and baptized there April 2, 1655. He married Mary Moore, daughter of Deacon Isaac Moore of Farmington, and both were admitted to the church there November 24, 1686. He was one of the appraisers of the estate of his grandfather Stephen Hart in 1682.

Queen Anne of England, coming to the throne in 1702, declared war against France. This war in history has been known as Queen Anne's war, though it is sometimes more properly referred to as the war of the Spanish Succession. In the hostilities which followed, the New England settlements were again involved and suffered greatly from Indian attacks, in which the most terrible outrages were committed. It became necessary to provide provincial troops in the Colonies to protect the homes and settlements from attack.

In May, 1695 John Hart was confirmed by the General Court of Connecticut as ensign of the Farmington training band, and participated as an officer of provincial troops in the Indian fights during this war which lasted eleven years. In October 1703, Ensign Hart was commissioned Lieutenant, and was subsequently promoted to Captain of Provincial troops and served with his company in New Hampshire during 1707 and 1708. By reason of his military service his descendants are eligible to membership in the "Society of Colonial Wars." He was for four successive years from 1702 to 1705, a deputy from Farmington to the General Court, and was appointed in May 1705 one of the auditors of the Colony. The honors and offices bestowed upon him indicate that he was a prominent man in the colony.

When his father's house was burned in 1666, he was absent from home at Nod attending his father's flocks. He was thus providentially saved as a brand from the fire, although this sad catastrophe left him an orphan child of eleven years of age. Capt. John Hart died in Farmington, November 11, 1714, aged 60 years. His wife died September 19, 1738, aged 84 years. This venerable couple became the progenitors of a numerous posterity. They were the parents of seven children named as follows:

1. **John Hart**, known as Deacon John Hart, born in 1684, baptized Nov. 27, 1686, died Oct. 7, 1753, aged 69 years. He represents the **fourth** generation in this history.

2. Isaac Hart of Farmington born in 1686, married November 24, 1721 to Elizabeth Whaples and died January 27, 1770, aged 84 years. His great, great grandson, Prof. John Seely Hart of Washington County, Va., was born January 28, 1810, graduated at Princeton in 1830 and in 1836 was elected to a professorship of languages in Princeton University. He was the author of a number of works among which are: "Hart's English Grammar," "Hart's Composition and Rhetoric," and "Prose Writers of America."

3. Sarah Hart, baptized December 11, 1687, married February 15, 1705 to Ebenezer Steele.

4. Mathew Hart, born in 1690, baptized December 7, 1690, married January 10, 1725 to Sarah Hooker.

5. Samnel Hart, born 1691, baptized September 18, 1692, married December 5, 1723 to Mary Hooker, a grand-daughter of the Rev. Thomas Hooker. He was a Colonial Lieutenant and died at Kensington, Conn., September 30, 1751. He was the father of seventeen children. He had two very noted grand-daughters, Almira Hart Lincoln Phelps and Emma Hart Willard. Mrs. Phelps was born July 13, 1793, and in 1831 she married Hon. John Phelps, a prominent jurist of Vermont. She was an eminent teacher and writer, being the distinguished author of "Phelps' Botany," "Phelps' Natural History" and a small work on Geology and one on Chemistry. In her eightieth year she published two volumes calling them "Fruits of Autumn," and "Preserved in the Winter of Life." Her home was in Baltimore, Md. Her son, Charles Edward Phelps, born in 1833, was a graduate of Princeton and a law graduate of Cambridge University. In 1862 he became Lieut. Colonel of the 7th Md. V. V. I., was wounded at the battle of Spotsylvania and was later breveted Brigadier General. A biographical sketch of Almira Hart Lincoln Phelps is to be found in Appleton's Encyclopedia of American Biography, Vol. 4 page 750. Emma Hart Willard was born February 23, 1787 and in 1809 married Dr. John Willard. With the approval of Governor Clinton of New York as to plans in 1818 she became the founder and principal of the Troy Female Seminary which up to 1838 was the foremost female seminary in America. She was an eminent writer, and among the productions of her pen, the best known is the beautiful hymn, "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep." Her published works are numerous and of high merit. She died April 15, 1870. Biographical sketches of her are found in "Everest's Poets of Connecticut" and in Appleton's Encyclopedia.

6. Nathaniel Hart born in 1695, baptized April 14, 1695, married December 3, 1719 to Abigail Hooker and died October 24, 1758. His son, Gen. Selah Hart was born at Kensington, Conn., May 23, 1732, and served the country in the capacity of a general during the War of the Revolution. In 1776 he commanded a regiment, and when Washington evacuated New York he was cut off and captured by a body of the enemy's forces which had ascended the Hudson River and landed above him. The cruelties and miseries which American prisoners suffered in those days were suffered by Col. Hart for nearly two years, during the most of which time his wife knew not whether he was living or dead. Subsequently he was made a Brigadier General and served in this capacity until the close of the war. His monument in Kensington Cemetery bears this inscription:

General Selah Hart
An Officer of the Revolution
who died
June 10th, 1806, age 74 years

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord"

His widow Ruth Hart, died January 15, 1844, aged 101 years, 2 months and 16 days, being the oldest person that ever lived in Kensington.

7. Mary Hart, born in 1697 became the wife of John Leffingwell, Esq., of Norwich, Conn.

CHAPTER V

Fourth American Generation—Deacon John Hart

Deacon John Hart of Farmington and Kensington, eldest son of Capt. John Hart and his wife Mary (Moore), was born in 1684, baptized in Farmington, November 27, 1686, and married March 20, 1706 to Esther Gridley, daughter of Samuel Gridley. Esther Gridley was born in 1687, baptized in Farmington, May 15, 1687, and she and her husband were admitted to the church there January 31, 1711. Deacon John Hart and wife lived on his father's place. He was chosen Deacon of the church in Farmington, November 19, 1718, and subsequently removed to Kensington where he was also a Deacon. His wife, Esther, who was the mother of his children, died July 10, 1743, aged 57 years. He married second, January 11, 1744, widow Hannah Hull, who also died November 27, 1760, aged 76 years.

Deacon John Hart was for many years Town Clerk and was twenty-three times elected to the General Court of Connecticut, between the years 1717 and 1743. He died October 7, 1753, aged 69 years. He was the father of seven children as follows:

1. Esther Hart, born September 19, 1707, married June 29, 1727, to Nathaniel Newell.

2. Judah Hart, born October 25, 1709, married February 20, 1734, to Anna Norton.

3. John Hart, born October 11, 1714, married Anna Hall. He represents the fifth generation of this history.

4. Mary Hart, born March 9, 1717, married December 6, 1739, to Timothy Root, second to Rev. Samuel Newell.

5. Sarah Hart, born June 19, 1719, married June 19, 1740, to Stephen Root, and second to Capt. Eldad Lewis.

6. Solomon Hart, born October 1, 1724, married March 3, 1749, to Experience Cole. His grandson was Hon. Alvin Nelson Hart of Lapier, Mich., who was born in 1804, and was a pioneer settler in Michigan in 1831. He became the first Circuit Judge of Lafayette County in 1846, 1847, and 1848. He was a graduate of Amherst College. A great grandson of Solomon Hart was Capt. Noah Harrison Hart of Lapier, Mich., who was born in 1813 at Cornwall, Conn. He was a lawyer by profession and was a member of the Michigan Constitutional Convention in 1850 and of the state legislature in 1851. He was Captain of Company F, Tenth Regiment Michigan Volunteers throughout the Civil War.

7. Ruth Hart, born October 25, 1729, died October 13, 1745.

CHAPTER VI

Fifth American Generation—John Hart

John Hart of Kensington, Conn., second son of Deacon John Hart of Farmington and Kensington, and his wife, Esther Gridley, was born October 11, 1714, at Kensington. He removed to Canaan in 1740, but located at Cornwall, Conn., in 1763, having sold the homestead he inherited from his father in 1765 to Solomon and Amos Cowles. The house is still standing. He married in 1744, Anna Hall, who died, when second he married Huldah Gould, January 30, 1749, who also died January 19, 1771, when third he married Martha Foot, May 28, 1772. He died December 18, 1773.

By his second marriage to Huldah Gould, he became the father of the following children:

1. John Hart, born November 19, 1751, died January 1, 1777.
2. Annie Hart, born August 28, 1753, married Capt. Seth Pierce of Cornwall, Conn.
3. Rufus Hart, born April 24, 1755, died June 28, 1765.
4. Thomas Hart, born March 3, 1756. He married and removed to Whitestone, N. Y., and thence to Belvidere, N. Y., where his descendants are said now to reside. In the war of the Revolution he served as a member of Fifth Company of the First Regiment of the New York Line, having enlisted February 2, 1777, for three years and re-enlisted November 5, 1779, for the war. He died in 1847.
5. Silas Hart, born May 19, 1760, who represents the sixth generation of this history.

By his third marriage John Hart became the father of one child, Rufus Hart, who was born March 15, 1773, and married in 1795 to Esther Coster. He became the father of six children, Clarissa, John C., George Washington. Hiram, Lucinda, Elizabeth L., and Edwrad W. His last residence was Coventry, Summit County, Ohio.

CHAPTER VII

Sixth American Generation—Silas Hart

Silas Hart, fifth child of John Hart and his second wife, Huldah Gould, was born in Canaan, Conn., May 19, 1760. (See Andrews' "Stephen Hart and his Descendants" page 49). The first thirty-five years of his life was spent in Litchfield County, Conn., where about the year 1782 he was married to one whose name is not known and to this union was born a daughter, Amy in 1784. (See A Chapter IX). About the year 1785 the wife of Silas Hart died. In 1787 he was married a second time to Phile Swift of Kent, Conn., who was born August 1, 1767, she being a member of the prominent and widely known Swift family of that state. She was the daughter of Elisha Swift and his wife, Mary Ranson Swift, and a sister of Gen. John Swift and Gen. Philetus Swift, both officers of the American army in the war with Great Britain in 1812.

It becomes appropriate in tracing the history of Silas Hart and his migration westward in the latter years of the eighteenth century to relate briefly the history of John Swift, his brother-in-law with whom he was closely associated and who was a pioneer in the Genesee country of New York state. John Swift was a native of Kent, Litchfield County, Conn. When fifteen years of age, he became a soldier in the Revolution and served seven years until the close of the war. He was one of the Connecticut Colony in the valley of the Wyoming, and in a bold attempt to fire the block house of the Pennamites he was shot through the neck, the ball passing between the spinal column and the esophagus. A like recovery was scarcely ever known in surgery. After the settlement of difficulties, a company of Connecticut people was formed, and John Swift and John Jenkins were appointed agents to select and purchase lands for their occupation. Jenkins, as a surveyor, had been in the employ of Oliver Phelps and Nathaniel Gorham who were the original proprietors of the Genesee Country, comprising at that time Ontario and Steuben counties in the state of New York. In 1795, the same parties with several other associates, bought the Ohio Western Reserve. In 1789, Swift and Jenkins proceeded to Canandaigua, New York, and contracted for township number twelve (now Palmyra) of the second range, and immediately began the survey of lots along Mud Creek or the Ganargua, the latter being its Indian name. They built a cabin just under the brow of the hill to the south of the creek. While asleep there with their assistants at two o'clock one morning, four Indians, attracted by the light, put their guns through the open spaces between the logs and killed one man by the name of Barker. It is probable this attack of the Indians dampened the zeal of the newcomers somewhat until they could have reinforcements. The Susquehanna Company was given up, and Swift, in order to effect a settlement sufficiently formidable to render it safe, spent the summer of 1790 in forming companies in Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island.

In September 1790, John Swift moved his family into this unbroken wilderness. He built the first house in what is now the village of Palmyra,

New York, where the shop of Mr. Thomas Lackey stood in 1860. This house was constructed of logs, covered with bark. John Swift was the first pioneer and by purchase from Jenkins became owner of all the land of the town or township. He was the first moderator of the first town meeting held on the first Tuesday of April 1796 and was at this meeting chosen the first supervisor. He was the first captain. At his house was held the first training and the first meeting for worship. Asa Swift, his son, was the first male child born in the town of Palmyra. He gave lands for the first school house, the first church and the first grave-yard in which he was afterwards buried. Indeed from 1790 to 1812 the name of John Swift is connected with every enterprise of the community, pecuniary, political and religious. At the commencement of the war of 1812 he was appointed Brevet General of the New York volunteers. In 1814 while stationed at Queenstown Heights he led a detachment down the river some six miles to Fort George where he surrounded and took prisoners a picket guard of the enemy consisting of some sixty men. Instead of commanding the prisoners to ground their arms and march away from him, he suffered them to retain their muskets. One of the captives inquired, "Who is General Swift." Most unadvisedly he stood forth and said: "I am General Swift." In an instant the inquisitive prisoner fired a ball through his breast. He was borne to the nearest house where he died July 12, 1814. After the war the citizens of Palmyra disinterred his remains and deposited them in the old cemetery of the village of Palmyra which was his gift to the town, on the lot where his sister Phile Hart had already been buried and where they still lie sleeping together. His gravestone bears this inscription: "Sacred to the memory of Gen. John Swift who was killed by the enemy of his country July 12, 1814 near Newark in U. C., aged 52 years and 25 days." The New York legislature, out of respect for his patriotism and bravery presented a sword to his eldest son and directed that a full length portrait of Gen. Swift should be hung in the City Hall, New York City. His brother, Gen. Philetus Swift was in command of New York troops during the war of 1812 and died in Phelps, Ontario County, July 24, 1828.

Silas Hart, being a brother-in-law to Gen. John Swift, became one of the first settlers in Swift's new colony in Palmyra, removing thither from Connecticut with his wife and children about the year 1795 or 1796. And here, it is proper to briefly describe the village of Palmyra with which the Hart family is intimately associated. Palmyra is located in Palmyra town or township, Wayne County, New York. It is now a village or town almost two hundred years old, of the colonial type having had for its original settlers New England people whose descendants still largely predominate. The village containing about 3000 inhabitants is situated on a slight hill or eminence about half a mile south of Mud Creek, the Erie Canal, The New York Central & Hudson River and the West Shore railroads, all of which are located in a broad valley parallel to each other running east and west. The principal streets are Main and Canandaigua, the former lying parallel to the canal and valley to the north. The town has many old colonial residences and altogether it is a place of beauty and excellent good taste, and its people are intelligent, kind and generous. The town of Palmyra is noted as being the home of Joseph Smith and the birthplace of the Mormon religion, and also the birthplace and early home of the late Rear Admiral

William T. Sampson, in whose honor and memory a Spanish cannon has been mounted on the village green. The town and village had an interesting beginning. John Swift laid out Main Street in the spring of 1792 and in the spring of 1793 a landing called Swift's Landing was established at the mouth of Mud Creek to which point Main Street extended. A number of settlers built houses on Main Street during the year of 1793. Following the colonial custom, annual town meetings were held on the first Tuesday of April, beginning in 1796. The town was first called Swifttown, then Tolland for the town and county in Connecticut by that name, which name was continued until 1797 when it was changed to Palmyra at the suggestion of Daniel Sawyer, a lawyer and brother to Mrs. John Swift.

At these annual town meetings the town officers were elected. All the freeholders were members of the meeting and some local legislation was usually adopted, relating to the herding of stock, the construction of highways, etc. In the spring of 1799 Mud Creek was established as a "navigable stream from the west line of No. 12, second range to the mouth of the same." This stream which is nothing more than a small creek was used by the early settlers as their only avenue of transportation and the new arrivals in the town came up Mud Creek in flat boats bringing in this way all their possessions with them.

Soon after Silas Hart and family came to Palmyra he became a land owner by purchasing in 1797 from John Swift forty acres of land on the south side of Main Street. The interesting and somewhat quaint conveyance to him is as follows:

"Know all men by these presents, that I, John Swift, of the County of Ontario, State of New York, have for and in consideration of the sum of two hundred and ninety four pounds, lawful money of New York to me in hand paid by Silas Hart of the same place, the receipt whereof is acknowledged, have granted bargained sold and conveyed, and do by these presents grant bargain sell and convey and confirm unto the said Silas Hart his heirs and assigns forever all that piece or parcel of land in the said Swifttown Allotment in the district of Palmyra, beginning on the south side of the Main street on the north-east corner of a lot belonging to John Hurlburt at an ironwood stake; thence east along the Main street forty eight rods; thence south one hundred and forty rods; thence west forty eight rods; thence north one hundred and forty rods to the place of beginning to contain forty two acres. To have and to hold all and every singular part of the above described premises with the appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining, to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Hart, his heirs and assigns forever; and that I the said John Swift do agree for myself, my heirs, my executors, administrators and assigns to and with the said Hart, his heirs and assigns that the above described premises be and remain forever in the quiet and peaceable possession of him the said Hart, his heirs and assigns against any person or persons lawfully claiming the whole or any part thereof will forever warrant and defend. In witness whereof I have here-

unto set my hand and seal this seventeenth day of February 1797.

In presents of

Darius Comstock

John Swift. (Seal)

Jo Edwards

(The word forty in the twentieth line interlined was done after execution by assent of parties.)

Ontario County, SS

On the twenty eighth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirteen came before me, William Rogers, one of the Judges of the court of Common Pleas for said County, John Swift, the within named grantor who I well Know, and acknowledged that he executed the within instrument as his free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and I, having perused the same and finding no material arazures or interlineations except the word forty in the twentieth line which was done by the agreement of the parties before me, therefore I allow this deed to be recorded.

William Rogers.

A true copy of the original recorded 12 January 1814 at four o'clock p. m. and examined.

Myron Halley, Clerk.

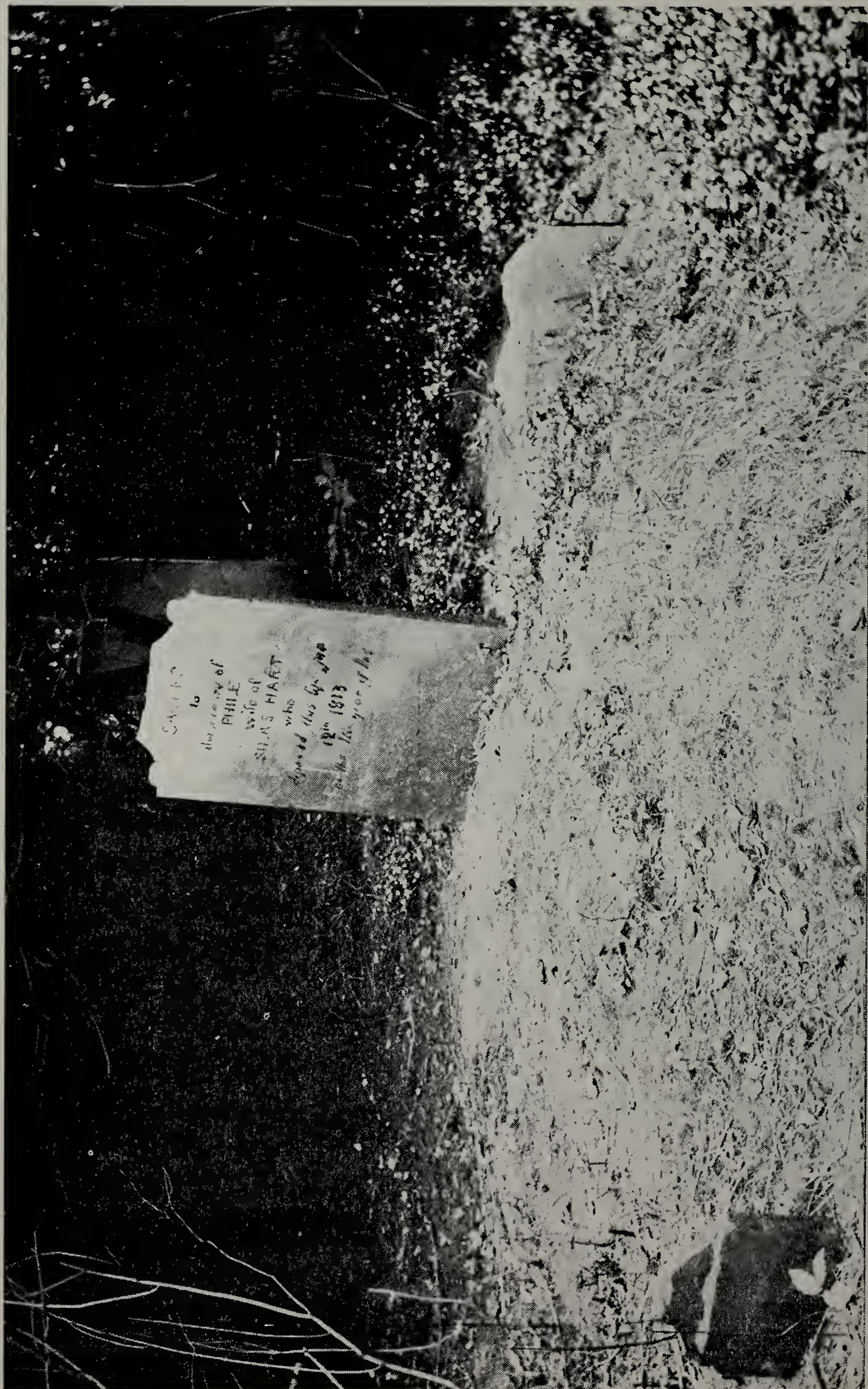
(Vol. 20 page 147 Ontario County Record of Deeds, Vol. D page 246 Wayne County Transcribed Records.)

On the twelfth day of June 1797 by a conveyance in which it is cited that he, Silas Hart, is "a yoeman of the district of Palmyra, County of Ontario, State of New York, he purchased one hundred acres in the same township from Reuben Town for \$650.00 (Vol. 20, page 148, Ontario County Rec. of Deeds), and on October 28, 1813, he purchased 32½ acres of land in the same township from John Swift (Vol. 20, page 149, Ontario County Rec. of Deeds).

Silas Hart became one of the prominent pioneers of this New York settlement and we find him attending the town meetings and assuming the burden of public affairs. It is interesting to note from the early town records that the town had a system of registration or markers for marking livestock so that the respective owners might recover their sheep or cattle in case they strayed or became mixed with others in the public pasture. We find that in April 1800, Stephen Phelps, the town clerk, granted to Silas Hart a marker which was "a swallow's tail in the right ear." (See Palmyra Town Records A, page 63), and Silas Hart assigned this marker to Hubbard Hall, November 14, 1816.

At the annual town meeting held in April 1801 Silas Hart was chosen "Overseer of the Highways for the Third Road District of the Town of Palmyra." The following oath is recorded and signed by the several overseers in their own hand:

"We, Sylvanus Conant, William Porter, Noah Porter, Silas Hart, John Shearman, Reuben Starke, Pardon Wilcox, Samuel Millet,



Graves of Silas and Phile Swift Hart and Gravestone of the Latter in Old Cemetery at Palmyra, N. Y.—Photographed in 1904

Abner Hill, David Smith, James Calloway and Ephriam Green, being appointed overseers of highways for the town of Palmyra in the County of Ontario, **do solemnly and sincerely promise and swear** that we will honestly, faithfully and impartially, to the best of our knowledge and abilities, execute the duties enjoined on us as overseers of highways.

Abner Hill
Ephriam Green
Silas Hart
David Smith
Sylvanus Conant
Noah Porter
Pardon Wilcox
John Shearman
Sherman Millett
Reuben Starke

The above qualifications taken before us this 7th day of April, 1801.

John Swift }
Darius Comstock } Justices of
 } the Peace."

The year Silas Hart acted as Overseer of Highways, the sum of sixty dollars was subscribed for the purpose of cleaning out and making navigable Mud Creek, and he supervised the work through his road district.

About the year 1805 Silas Hart built a house on the south side of Main Street near what is now Gates Avenue on the lot now owned by Mr. Bulmer. This house, although it has been considerably altered and repaired, still stands on the west side of Gates Avenue about three hundred feet south of Main Street, having been moved to this location by Daniel Gates who was its owner about 1855. Dr. Horace Eaton, who became pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Palmyra in 1849, in a history of the town written by him in 1857, says that Silas Hart's house was the first two-story frame house erected in the town.

To Silas Hart and Phile Swift Hart, his wife, six children were born as follows:

- B. Alice Hart Clesson, born Feb. 2, 1789 (See Chapter X).
- C. Philena Hart Sweet, born in 1790 (See Chapter XI).
- D. John Swift Hart, born March 11, 1793 (See Chapter XII).
- E. Lyman Hart, born in 1797 (See Chapter XV).
- F. Julius Caesar Hart, born April 30, 1799 (See Chapter XVI).
- G. Julia Maria Hart Milner, born Sept. 7, 1801 (See Chapter XVII).

The members of the family were members and regular attendants of the Presbyterian Church which was the first church established in Palmyra.

The wife and mother, Phile Swift Hart, died January 12, 1813, and is buried in the old cemetery on the west side of Chapel Street, Palmyra, opposite St. Ann's Church, which cemetery has been abandoned for many years as a burying ground and which is grown over with trees and bushes

making a dense wilderness in which can be seen here and there a stray headstone or marker. Many of the graves in this cemetery have been moved to the new Village Cemetery. The grave of Phile Hart, which is next west of her brother John Swift's grave, is marked by an old fashioned sandstone marker which had fallen down, and in 1904 was covered with leaves and rubbish. The stone which is crumbling to pieces quite rapidly, bears this inscription:

“Sacred to the Memory of

PHILE

Wife of

SILAS HART

Who departed this life Jan. 12, 1813 in
the 47th year of her age.”

After the death of his wife, Silas Hart with his unmarried children soon left his New York home and pushed westward again into the wilderness where a second time he became a pioneer, this time in eastern Ohio. Accordingly, on the 28th day of October, 1813, he sold to John L. Swift, a tract of 33 1-3 acres of land in Palmyra Township. (Deed Rec. Vol. 20, page 487, Ontario Co. Rec. of Deeds), and on October 30, 1813, he sold his home farm on the south side of Main Street in Palmyra village, consisting of 44½ acres of land, to James White for \$1675.00. (See Deed Rec. Vol. 20, page 146, Ontario County Record of Deeds).

Having disposed of the major part of his property, Silas Hart accompanied by his sons, John Swift Hart, Julius C. Hart, and his daughter, Julia Maria Hart, then a mere child about thirteen years of age, emigrated in the spring of 1814 to Columbiana County, Ohio. They first settled in Butler Township in that county as we learn from the recitals in a deed made by Silas Hart on April 5, 1815, to Solomon Hathaway conveying 29 acres more land in the state of New York. (See Vol. 29, page 1 and Vol 38, page 397 Ontario County Record of Deeds).

In the year 1816 Silas Hart purchased of John Webb lot No. 105 in the town of New Lisbon, Ohio, which conveyance is recorded in Vol 5 at page 118, Columbiana County Record of Deeds. On the 22nd day of November, 1817, Silas Hart sold this town lot to Benjamin Hanna, the venerable grandfather of the late Senator Marcus A. Hanna of Ohio (See Deed Rec. Vol. 5, page 213, Columbiana County Record of Deeds), and upon this lot was erected the Hanna home where Senator Hanna was afterwards born. Pushing twelve miles further southward, Silas Hart, on the 27th day of April, 1821, purchased from James Monroe, President of the United States, by government patent, the northwest quarter of Section 4, Township 12 (Washington), Range 3, in Columbiana County, Ohio. (See Deed Rec. Vol. 7, page 371, Columbiana County Record of Deeds). Silas Hart had entered this quarter section about 1818, three years before his purchase, and for many years paid \$1.60 as taxes per year on the entire quarter. On September 1, 1821, he sold sixty acres of this quarter section to John Fogo of Allegheny County, Pa. for the sum of \$250.00. The deed to this property was acknowledged before George Clark, Justice of the Peace. (See Deed Rec. Vol 7, page 371, Columbiana County Record of Deeds). The remain-

ing one hundred acres of this quarter section is known as the Hart Homestead in Washington Township, now owned by Alexander Hart's sons and heirs at law. It has been continuously owned by members of the Hart family ever since it was purchased by Silas Hart from the government in 1821.

Silas Hart assisted his sons, John and Julius, to get a start as farmers in this new country on the borders of Yellow Creek, and after the marriage of his two children, John S. Hart in 1819 and Julia Maria Hart in 1820, the former locating on the Hart homestead, he bade his sons and daughter farewell and retraced his steps to his old home in Palmyra, N. Y. where we find him again in 1823. In August of that year he conveyed another tract of land in Palmyra to Robert S. McCollum (See Deed Rec. Vol. 1, page 62, Wayne County N. Y. Record of Deeds). The last conveyance made by him bears date the 16th day of September, 1825, when he conveyed two and one-half acres of land to one Alva Handee of Palmyra (See Deed Rec. Vol. 2, page 569, Wayne County N. Y. Record of Deeds).

Silas Hart engaged for a few years in canal shipping, the great Erie Canal having been completed and opened in 1822. He died in Palmyra, N. Y., Aug. 6, (perhaps 7), 1828. In the Wayne Sentinel published at Palmyra on Friday, Aug. 8, 1828, appears the following brief notice:

"DIED: In this town on Wednesday last, Mr. Silas Hart, aged about 68 years, one of the first settlers of this town."

This would make the date of his death Wednesday, Aug. 6, 1828.

His grave in the old cemetery on Chapel Street in Palmyra is beside and directly north of that of his wife, whose death had occurred fifteen years before. A marble slab, the top of which has been broken off some six inches from the ground marks his grave. A piece of the stone lying near by and picked up in 1904 bears the figures "7, 1828," which would indicate that the date of his death was Aug. 7, 1828. His grave and the others above mentioned are almost hidden by the heavy growth of underbrush which has been permitted to overrun this old abandoned cemetery and it is literally true that his burial place is a "rude neglected spot where the forefathers of the hamlet sleep."

Silas Hart was an enterprising man of more than ordinary ability, and was one of the foremost citizens of the various communities in which he lived.

CHAPTER VIII

SWIFT AND WARREN FAMILIES

I. GENEALOGY OF THE SWIFT FAMILY SINCE 1630, OF WHICH FAMILY PHILE SWIFT HART WAS A MEMBER

FIRST GENERATION. WILLIAM SWYFT of Sandwich, emigrated from Bocking County, Essex, England, in the great "Boston Emigration" of 1630-1 to America. Was in Watertown, Mass. in 1634. Sold out his land and went to "Sandwich" in 1637 where he died in 1642 or 1643. He was married to Joane who died Nov. 26, 1663.

SECOND GENERATION: WILLIAM SWIFT, Jr., third child and only son of William Swyft and Joane his wife, was born in England and came to this country with his father. He married Ruth and died in Sandwich in January 1705.

THIRD GENERATION: JIREH SWIFT, the seventh child and fourth son of William Swift, Jr., and his wife Ruth, who was born in 1665. He married Abigail Gibbs of Sandwich, Nov. 26, 1697. He died in Wareham in April 1749. The late Justice William R. Day of the Supreme Court of the United States was also a direct descendant of Jireh Swift.

FOURTH GENERATION: JABEZ SWIFT, third child and eldest son of Jireh and Abigail Swift was born March 16, 1700. He married Abigail Pope of Sandwich Oct. 9, 1729. He removed to Kent, Litchfield County, Conn., in 1743, where he died November 2, 1767.

FIFTH GENERATION: ELISHA SWIFT, first child and eldest son of Jabez and Abigail Swift was born May 16, 1731, in Sandwich; married Mary Ransom of Kent, Conn., December 13, 1756. Their children were:

Heman, Roxalana, Gen. John, Gen. Philetus, Alice, **PHILE**, Jabez Severus, Lewis and Capt. Elisha Swift, Jr.

SIXTH GENERATION: PHILE SWIFT HART, daughter of Elisha Swift and Mary Ransom, his wife, born Aug. 1, 1767. She became the wife of Silas Hart and the mother of their six children named in Chapter VII. She was a direct descendant of Richard Warren, a Mayflower passenger, and by reason of this fact, all of the descendants of Phile Swift Hart and Silas Hart, her husband, are eligible to membership in the Society of Mayflower Descendants.

II. THE GENEALOGICAL LINE OF DESCENT FROM RICHARD WARREN TO PHILE SWIFT HART

FIRST GENERATION: **RICHARD WARREN**, born . Passenger on the Mayflower, twelfth signer of the Mayflower Compact; served in "First Military Encounter"; married before 1611 to Elizabeth (Jonatt) Marsh, who was born in 1582 and died in 1671. She came to America with her five children to join her husband, Richard Warren in 1623. Richard Warren died in 1628.

SECOND GENERATION: **NATHANIEL WARREN**, son of Richard Warren and his wife, Elizabeth Marsh Warren, was born in 1624; married Sarah Walker in 1645; Nathaniel Warren died in 1667.

THIRD GENERATION: **ALICE WARREN**, daughter of Nathaniel Warren and his wife, Sarah Walker Warren, was born at Plymouth, Mass., on Aug. 2, 1656; married at Plymouth on Dec. 23, 1674, to Thomas Gibbs, who was born on March 23, 1636, and died at Sandwich, June 7, 1732. Alice Warren Gibbs died at Sandwich, Mass., March 4, 1692. (See Vol. 4, page 168 and Vol. 2, page 94, Plymouth Colony Records; also New England History and General Register, Vol. 55, pages 72-77).

FOURTH GENERATION: **ABIGAIL GIBBS**, daughter of Alice Warren Gibbs and her husband, Thomas Gibbs, was born at Sandwich, Mass.; married at Sandwich on Nov. 26, 1697 to Jireh Swift the son of William Swift, Jr., and his wife, Ruth Swift. Jireh Swift was born about 1665 and died at Wareham, Mass., in April, 1749. Abigail Gibbs died before November, 1741. (See "William Swyft and Descendants" (1900), pages 3 to 6).

FIFTH GENERATION: **JABEZ SWIFT**, third child and eldest son of Abigail Gibbs Swift and Jireh Swift, her husband, was born at Sandwich, Mass., March 16, 1700; married Oct. 9, 1729 to Abigail Pope who was born at Sandwich about _____ and died at Kent, Conn., about 1776. Jabez Swift died at Kent, Conn., Nov. 2, 1767. (See William Swyft and Descendants (1900) page 12).

SIXTH GENERATION: **ELISHA SWIFT**, eldest son of Jabez Swift and Abigail Pope, his wife, was born at Sandwich, Mass., May 16, 1731; married at Kent, Conn., on December 13, 1756 to Mary Ransom, who was born at Kent, Conn., Dec. 4, 1737. Elisha Swift died in 1777. (See William Swyft and Descendants (1900), page 23).

SEVENTH GENERATION: **PHILE SWIFT**, daughter of Elisha Swift and his wife, Mary Ransom, was born at Kent, Conn., Aug. 1, 1767; married at Kent, Conn. in 1787 to Silas Hart, who was born at Caanaan, Conn., on May 19, 1760, and died at Palmyra, N. Y. on Aug. 7, 1828. Phile Swift Hart died at Palmyra, N. Y. Jan. 12, 1813.

III. ANTECEDENTS OF RICHARD WARREN

The ancestry of Richard Warren of the Mayflower has been very definitely traced back to and through such notable personages as Charlemagne, Ethelred, Alfred the Great, Hugh the Great, William the Conqueror, Tiberius, Mark Antony, Constantine, William the First Earl of Warren and William the Second Earl of Warren. In fact, through the marriage of William, Second Earl of Warren, and the Countess Isabel, every known European line from earliest history is united, and all the descendants of Richard Warren, including the Silas Hart family, therefore, trace their ancestry to the same notable personages.

(A) THE ROMAN ANCESTRAL LINE TO RICHARD WARREN:

The early ancestral line to Richard Warren from Tiberius, Mark Antony, Claudius, the Roman Emperor, Constantine the Great, Emperor of Rome, William de Warren and William the Conqueror is as follows:

1. **Tiberius**, second Emperor of Rome 14-37 A. D.
2. Nero Claudius Drusus, married Antonia, daughter of Marc Antony, A. D. 54—68.
3. Claudia I, Roman Emperor, A. D. 41.—54

4. Claudia
5. Constantius Chlorus
6. **Constantine the Great**, Roman Emperor 306-337 A. D. The war of Rome against the church begun by Nero ended at the Milvian Bridge, when Constantine, stirred by the vision of the banner of the cross with the legend in Latin, "In Hoc Signo Vinces," made Christianity the legal religion of the Roman Empire. (See 5 New International Encyclopedia, page 791).
7. Constantine II born 317 A. D.; Emperor, 337 to 340 A. D.
8. Constantine III
9. Valentinian
10. Eudoxia
11. Hilderic
12. Hilda, married to Froda King of Danes
13. Halpdon
14. Ivan Vidfana
15. Roric Slingeband
16. Harold Hildelant
17. Sigurd Ring
18. Ragnor
19. Sigurd
20. Horda Knut
21. Frotho
22. Goom Eddka
23. Harold Parkinus—married daughter of Ethelred
24. Goom del Gammel—married Eadred
25. Harold Blatant
26. Gonorra and her sister
27. Niece of Gonorra—married Nicholas de Bocqueville
28. Walter de St. Martine
29. William de Warrene
30. Ralph, Sener de Guerrene
31. **William de Warrene**, 1st Earl of Warren and Surrey in England, 4th Earl of Warren in Normandy—married **Gundreda**, daughter of **William the Conqueror** and Matilda of Flanders, daughter of Baldwin V of Flanders.
32. **William de Warrene**, 2nd Earl of Warren and Surrey—married **Isabel**, Countess D' Vermandois, daughter of Hugh the Great, Earl of D'Vermandois.
33. Reginald de Warren—married—**Adelia** de Mobray, daughter of Roger De Mobray.
34. William de Warren—married Isabel de Hayden, daughter of William de Hayden, Knight.
35. Sir John de Warren—married Alice de Townsend, daughter of Roger de Townsend, Esq.
36. Sir John de Warren—married Joan de Port de Etwall, daughter of Sir Hugh de Port, knight.
37. Edward de Warren—married Maud, daughter of Richard De Skeyton.

38. Sir Edward de Warren—married Cicely, daughter of Nicholas De Eaton, Knight.
39. Sir Richard Warren—married Agnes, daughter of Sir Richard De Wymington, Knight.
40. Sir Lawrence de Warren—married Margery, daughter of Hugh Bulkley, Esq. of Ware in Shropshire.
41. John de Warren—married Isabel, daughter of Sir John Stanley, K. G. (Earl Derby).
42. Sir Lawrence de Warren—married Isabel Leigh, daughter of Sir Robert Leigh, Knight.
43. William de Warren of Counton, Nottinghamshire, died 1496 — married Anne.
44. John de Warren of Nottingham, died 1525—married Elizabeth.
45. John Warren of Headbury, Parish of Ashburton, Devonshire.
46. Christopher Warren of Devon.
47. William Warren of Devon—married Anne Moble, daughter of Thermas Moble of Calstoke in Cornwall.
48. Christopher Warren of Scrooby—married Alice, daughter of Thomas Webb, Sidnam, Devonshire.
49. **Richard Warren of the Mayflower**, born Greenwich, England — married Elizabeth (Jonatt or Ivatt) Marsh.

(Note—See Encyclopedia Britanica under name Warren for complete genealogical record.

(B) COLLATERAL ANGLO SAXON ANCESTRAL LINES LEADING TO RICHARD WARREN OF THE MAYFLOWER:

I. Northmen and Saxons

1. Woden
2. Belbeg
3. Frodigarius
4. Gerberius
5. Eossa
6. Illans
7. Cedric, first King of West Saxons.
8. Cynric
9. Chiewlin
10. Cynric
11. Cuthwin
12. Cuth
13. Chelwald
14. Kenred
15. Ingills
16. Offa
17. Eossa
18. Alkmund
19. Aegbert
20. Althelwulf
21. **Ethelred**
22. **Alfred the Great**
23. Edward the Elder—married Aethelswith

24. **Eadred**
25. Gisela married Rolf the Viking
26. William Longsword
27. Richard the Fearless
28. Richard the Good
29. Robert the Devil
30. **William the Conqueror**, married Matilda of Flanders

NOTE: SEE GENERATIONS 31 to 49 inclusive, same as under (A).

(C.) THE SALIAN FRANKS-CHARLEMAGNE LINE TO RICHARD WARREN

7. Aseytes
8. Antenor
9. Marcomir I
10. Pharamond, earliest ruler of Salian Franks
11. Closdic
12. Alberic
13. Ausbert I
14. Ausbert II
15. St. Arnolph
16. Andegisus—married Bega
17. Pepin de Heristal (grandson of Pippin of Landen) Duke of Austrasia, Mayor of the Palace of the Merovingian Kings of France.
18. Charles Martel, 689-741
19. Pippin the Short, died 768
20. **Charlemagne**, 742-814—married 2nd Hildegard, daughter of the Duke of Swabia.
- 21 Louis I of France
22. Charles I of France
23. Louis II of France
24. Charles III of France
25. Gisela, married 25. **Rolf the Viking** (Norman Dukes)
26. William Longsword
27. Richard the Fearless
28. Richard the Good
29. Robert the Devil
30. **William the Conqueror**—married Matilda of Flanders
31. Gundreda—married William de Warren, 1st Earl of Warren

NOTE: Generations 31 to 49 inclusive same as under (A).

(D) FLANDERS LINE TO RICHARD WARREN

20. **Charlemagne**, 742-814—married 2nd Hildegard, daughter of the Duke of Swabia.
21. Louis de Debonnaire, 778-844, married 2nd Judith, daughter of Count Welf of Bavaria.
22. Charles the Bold, 823-877—married Irmentrude of Orleans.
23. Baldwin Audacer, Earl of Flanders—married Judith, daughter of Charles the Bold.
24. Baldwin the Bald, died 918—married Aelfryth, daughter of **Alfred the Great** of England

25. Arnold or Arnulf—married Adela, daughter of Count of Vermandois
26. Baldwin III, died 961
27. Arnold or Arnulf II, died 989
28. Baldwin IV "Barbatns" died 1030
29. Baldwin V—married Adela, daughter of Robert the Pious of France
30. **William the Conqueror**, Oct. 14, 1024, died Sept. 9, 1087—married Matilda, daughter of Baldwin V of Flanders.
31. Gundreda—married William de Warren 1st Earl of Warren.

NOTE: Generations 31 to 49 inclusive same as under (A).

(E) CHARLEMAGNE-ITALIAN LINE TO RICHARD WARREN

20. **Charlemagne**
21. Pepin of Italy
22. Bernard of Italy
23. Bernard II
24. Pepin, Count d' Vermandois
25. Herbert I
26. Herbert II
27. Albert
28. Herbert III
29. Otto
30. Herbert IV
31. Adela—married **Hugh the Great**
32. Isabel, Countess D'Vermandois—married William de Warren, 2nd Earl of Warren and Surrey.

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NOTE: Generations 33 to 49 inclusive, same as under (A).

(F) GERMAN—CAPTAIN LINE TO RICHARD WARREN

25. Otto, 1st Duke of Saxony
26. Henry I of Germany
27. Hedwig—married Hugh Magnus
28. Hugh Capet
29. Robert the Pious
30. Henry I of France
31. **Hugh the Great**—married Adela, daughter of Herbert IV

NOTE: Hugh the Great was one of the seven great leaders of the First Crusade which carried the cross in a pilgrimage to Jerusalem in 1096, and inasmuch as Richard Warren was a descendant of Hugh the Great, all of the descendants of Richard Warren (Mayflower Passenger) are eligible to membership in "The Order of the First Crusade," a patriotic order organized at Alameda, Cal. in 1923.

NOTE: Generation 32 to 49 inclusive, same as under (A).

(G.) FRENCH LINE TO RICHARD WARREN

15. Pippin of Landen, died A. D. 639
16. Andegisus married Bega
17. Pippin of Heristal (Grandson of Pippin of Landen) Duke of Aus-

- trasis, Mayor of the palace of the Merovingian Kings of France.
18. Charles Martel, 689-741
 19. Pippin the Short, died 768
 20. **Charlemagne**, 742-814, married 2nd Hildegarde, daughter of the Duke of Swabia (see 5 New International Encyclopedia, p. 57, 59.)
 21. Louis de Debonnaire, 778-844—married 2nd Judith, daughter of Count Welf of Bavaria.
 22. Charles the Bold, 823-877—married Irmentrude of Orleans.
 23. Baldwin Audacer, Earl of Flanders, married Judith, daughter of Charles the Bald.
 24. Baldwin the Bold, died 918, married Aelfryth, daughter of Alfred the Great of England. (See I New International Encyclopedia, p. 397).
 25. Arnulf or Arnold, married to Adela, daughter of the Count of Vermandois.
 26. Baldwin III, died 961.
 27. Arnulf, died 989.
 28. Baldwin IV "Barbatus," died 1030.
 29. Baldwin V, married Adela, daughter of Robert of France.
 30. **William the Conqueror**, Oct. 14, 1024—Sept. 9, 1087—married Matilda, daughter of Baldwin V. of Flanders (See 23 New International Encyclopedia, page 649).
 31. William 4th Earl of Warren in Normandy, 1st Earl of Warren in Surrey in England, married Gundreda, daughter of William the Conqueror and his wife, Matilda.

NOTE: Generations 32 to 49 inclusive, same as under (A).

CHAPTER IX

A — Amy Hart

Silas Hart was the father of seven children. He was first married about the year 1782 to a Connecticut lady whose name has not been ascertained, but who died about the year 1785. They resided in Litchfield County, Conn., and to this union one child, Amy, was born in 1784.

Her mother having died about a year after her birth, in 1785, she moved with her father and his family through the then wild forests of New York up to Palmyra where she died in 1796, being about twelve years of age.

She was buried in the old Palmyra, N. Y. cemetery and a small stone marks her grave just to the left of the grave of Phile Swift Hart.

CHAPTER X

B — Alice Hart Clesson

Alice Hart, the eldest child of Silas Hart and Phile Swift Hart was born Feb. 2, 1789, near Kent, Litchfield County, Connecticut. She was named in honor of her mother's elder sister, Alice Swift. She was a beautiful young woman, beautiful in character as well as in physique. She was possessed of a remarkable christian faith and her death was a triumphant victory as we learn from a letter written by her brother, Lyman Hart, just after her death to his brother John Swift Hart, which letter is given in full in connection with the sketch of the life of Lyman Hart.

When she was six years of age she removed with her parents from Connecticut to the then pioneer settlement at Palmyra, New York. Here she secured a fair grammar school education in the village school, and about the year 1810 she was married to Dr. Samuel Clesson of Sodus, Wayne County, New York, at which place she lived until the time of her death. By the appointment of President Andrew Jackson, Dr. Clesson was made postmaster at Sodus, December 17, 1833, having served as deputy postmaster a year or two prior to that time. Dr. Clesson had a fine country practice as a physician and was a prominent man in that place.

No children were born to the marriage. Alice was a woman of deep religious convictions and was an untiring worker in the Presbyterian Church of which she was a member. She died in Sodus on Saturday, Oct. 27, 1832, and was buried in the Sodus Cemetery.

The Wayne Sentinel, a weekly newspaper published at Palmyra, N. Y. under date of Wednesday, Oct. 31, 1832, contains the following death notice: "Died—at Sodus, on the 27th inst., Mrs. Alice, wife of Doct. Samuel Clesson in the 44th year of her age, after a protracted and painful illness, in which she manifested a reasonable religious hope, through the merits and mercies of her Redeemer, and a humble trust that her name was written in Heaven."

Two years later Dr. Clesson remarried, as we learn from the following notice which appeared in the Wayne Sentinel under date of June 27, 1834: "Married in Sodus, on the 5th day of June, 1834, Dr. Samuel Clesson, Deputy Collector of the Port of Big Sodus Bay, to Miss Fannie S. Franklin, late of Geneva."

CHAPTER XI

C — Philena Hart Sweet—Seventh American Generation

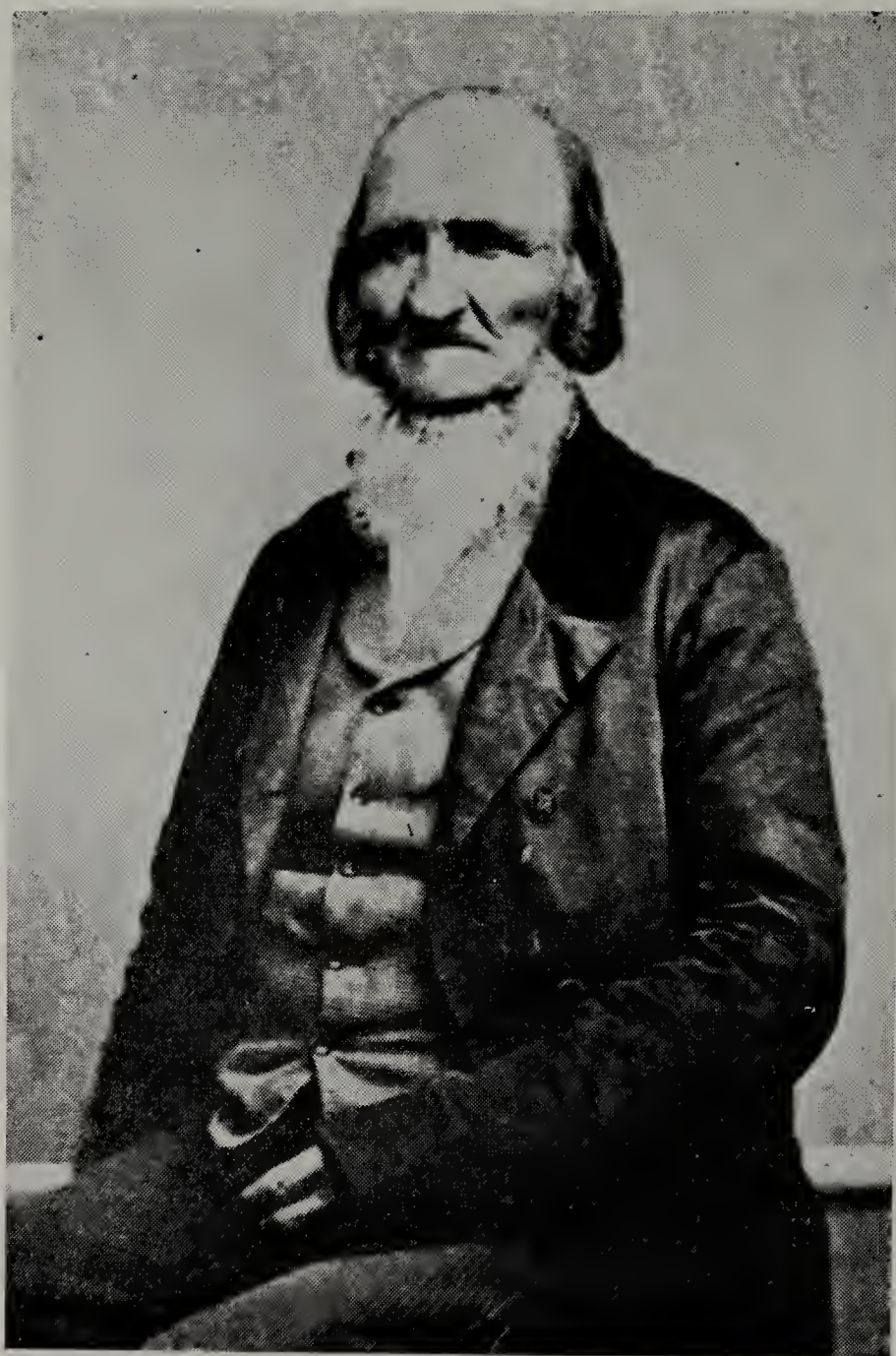
Philena Hart, the second child and daughter of Silas Hart and Phile Swift Hart was born in Litchfield County, Connecticut in the latter part of 1790, perhaps in the month of October. She was named in honor of her mother, Phile Swift Hart, and when about five years of age she moved westward with her parents to the pioneer settlement of Swifttown, later Palmyra, Wayne County, New York. Here she passed her early years, securing only a meager education in the primitive public schools, but she acquired a thorough knowledge of the Bible and things religious through the teachings of her mother at home and the instruction of the parish minister in connection with the village church which was Presbyterian in denomination.

About the year 1815, Philena Hart was married to Richard Sweet who was born January 30, 1784. They resided the first years after their marriage in Pultneyville, Wayne County, New York, and owned a property on the square of that village which Richard Sweet had purchased from I. W. Hallett on March 18, 1812. This property Mr. and Mrs. Sweet sold on February 7, 1827. They also owned some property in the town of Marion, Wayne County, New York, which they sold March 24, 1827 and September 17, 1827. (See deed records of Wayne County, New York, as follows: Volume IV, page 458; Volume V, page 172, and Volume V, page 176.)

About this time Richard Sweet and wife moved to Palmyra, New York, and for several years lived on Canandaigua Street just beyond Jackson Street in the southern part of the village. Philena Sweet was a most earnest christian and a great church worker, having been a member of and associated with the Presbyterian Church at Palmyra. Mrs. Sophia Worthington, an elderly but intelligent lady who had lived in Palmyra all her life when interviewed in 1904, said she remembered Philena Sweet quite well. She remembered her as being of "fair complexion, a very pious woman and the mother of two or three very well behaved children."

In 1822, the Erie Canal, which connects Buffalo with Albany, was opened up. For a number of years after Richard Sweet and family moved to Palmyra, he was engaged in the business of canal boating on this canal. Later, he became a milk dealer, conducting a dairy farm. About this time, Mr. Sweet met severe reverses in business through the default of a partner, and he was left very deeply involved in debt. Under the law, as it was at that time, he could have been imprisoned for debt and indeed this was threatened by some of his creditors, but he argued with them that such a course would only deprive him of his liberty, leave his family in destitute circumstances and prevent him from securing means with which to liquidate their claims. He promised them that if they would give him his liberty, he would pay every cent, and a few years later he redeemed his promise.

In 1836, Richard Sweet and family moved from Palmyra, New York, to Bedford, Monroe County, Michigan. Philena Sweet persuaded her husband to make this move in order that they might extend their religious influence in this new community which had been recently settled by people from



Richard Sweet—1794-1867

central New York. It was through her efforts that the First Presbyterian Church in Bedford was founded and a union sabbath school established, Richard Sweet becoming its first superintendent.

About this time, perhaps in 1837, Philena Sweet visited her brother, Julius Caesar Hart and his family, then residing at Augusta, Carroll County, Ohio. Her niece, Julia M. White of Fairfield, Illinois, who died in 1925, says in letters to the author, that she remembered her Aunt Philena Sweet and her visit above mentioned quite well.

A few years later, Richard Sweet and Philena Hart Sweet, moved from Bedford to Tecumseh, Michigan, and from there in 1849 to Dundee, Monroe County, Michigan, where they spent the remaining years of their lives. Philena Sweet died October 23, 1851, and Richard Sweet died February 17, 1867. They are both buried in the village cemetery at Dundee, Michigan, and marble slabs appropriately mark their graves. Richard Sweet was a member of the Masonic Order, being a charter member of the present lodge of Masons in Dundee where his likeness hangs on the walls of the lodge room.

The following children were born to Richard and Philena Sweet:

1. Myron Whipple Sweet, born October 2, 1820; died Dec. 23, 1886.
2. Chauncey Sweet, born in 1825; died in 1849.
3. Lyman Hart Sweet, born April 21, 1830; died March 24, 1906.

Myron Whipple Sweet, eldest son of Richard and Philena Sweet was born near Palmyra, New York and received a good common school education in the Palmyra schools. At the age of sixteen he moved to Michigan with his parents, living first at Bedford, and later at Adrian, where he spent the remainder of his life. He was a very intelligent, well read man, a student of good literature. He possessed a splendid diction, having a remarkable knowledge of words and their correct usage. He was a most kind, self-sacrificing and benevolent man, most highly esteemed by all who knew him.

Myron Whipple Sweet was first married to Martha Ann Edwards, daughter of Calvin Edwards, on Christmas Day, 1843. To this union, six children were born as follows: Herbert Richard Sweet; Emma Philena Sweet; Anna Minerva Sweet King; Ella Pauline Sweet; Howard Myron Sweet and Flora McLaren Sweet. The third child, Anna Sweet King, wife of Charles King, resided in Chicago. She was, for a number of years, a missionary to India, having made the trip to India and return four times, the last time making a complete circle of the globe. The fourth child was Ella Sweet Grether who resided in Chicago. The residence of Howard Myron Sweet, the fifth child is in Ohio.

Myron Sweet's first wife, Martha Ann Edwards, died on March 14, 1856. He was married second to Margaret Metler, February 28, 1858, she being then a principal of a young ladies seminary located in Mississippi. She was a native of Lockport, New York. She possessed a fine intellect and charming personality. To this union, one child was born, Margaret Helen Sweet Seger. Myron Sweet was for many years a member of the First Baptist Church of Adrian, Michigan. He was engaged for many years in mercantile pursuits and later in life insurance business. He died December 23, 1886.

His daughter, to the second marriage, Margaret Helen Sweet Seger was



Myron Whipple Sweet, son of Philena Hart Sweet and
Richard Sweet—1820-1886



Lyman Hart Sweet, son of Philena Hart Sweet and
Richard Sweet—1830-1906

born September 28, 1861. She is a graduate of the Adrian, Michigan, high school and of Adrian College. For many years she was a member of the School Board of that city. She is a lady of fine personality, culture and charm. She married Sept. 1, 1885, to Dr. Frederick Romaine Seger of Adrian, a graduate of the University of Michigan and a talented physician. He died Nov. 2, 1893. Four children were born to Dr. Frederick and Margaret Seger, all of whom are living. Margaret Seger maintains her home at 233 Division Street, Adrian, but resides a portion of the time with her youngest daughter, Marion Lord Judd at 1208 Ashwood Avenue, Nashville, Tenn. Margaret Seger has a very interesting family. The sorrow incident to the early and untimely death of a splendid husband and father seems to have inspired in them as a family a beautiful devotion to each other. The author and Mrs. Hart had a delightful visit with Mrs. Seger and her family at Adrian in June, 1907, and Mrs. Seger visited for a week with the Hart relationship in Columbiana and Stark counties in the State of Ohio in August 1927, when all had a delightful time together. The author and Mrs. Hart have on two occasions since visited Mrs. Seger and her delightful family.

The second son of Richard and Philena Sweet was Chauncey Sweet, born in Wayne County, New York, about the year 1825. He moved with his parents and two brothers to Michigan. In 1849, when the California gold excitement was at its height, he started for the gold fields to seek his fortune. He reached Laramie, Wyoming, then an Indian settlement, where he fell sick and died within a few days. He was buried at Laramie by United States troops stationed there at that time.

The third son of Richard and Philena Sweet was Lyman Hart Sweet, who was named in honor of his Uncle Lyman Hart of Wayne County, New York. He was born April 21, 1830, and moved with his parents from Palmyra New York, to Bedford, Michigan, in 1836. He spent most of his time in school until he was twenty-one years of age, securing a good education. At that time, he began his life work as a teacher and continued in this profession until the year 1881, when he retired to the old farm of his father, Richard Sweet at Dundee, Michigan, where he died March 24, 1906. He was married October 29, 1854, to Lucinda Rankin who was born at Albany, New York, June 11, 1833. To them two daughters were born, Clara Sweet Ellis and Jennie Sweet.

C. PHILENA HART SWEET—FAMILY CHART

C. PHILENA HART SWEET, second child of Silas Hart and Phile Swift Hart, was born in October 1790; died October 23, 1851; married in 1815 to Richard Sweet, who was born Jan. 30, 1784, and who died February 17, 1867.

I. MYRON WHIPPLE SWEET, born Oct. 2, 1820, died Dec. 23, 1886; married Dec. 25, 1943, to Martha Ann Edwards, who was born Oct. 30, 1818, and who died March 14, 1856.

1. Herbert Richard Sweet, born at Dundee, Mich., Feb. 7, 1845; died June 17, 1861.

2. Emma Philena Sweet, born at Dundee, Mich., Dec. 6, 1846; died from scalding, March 29, 1851.

C. Philena Hart Sweet—Family Chart Continued

3. Anna Minerva Sweet King, born at Dundee, Mich., Oct. 26, 1848; died Feb. 2, 1931; married Dec. 14, 1878, at Calcutta, India, to Charles DeWitt King, who was born at Mexico Ville, New York, May 25, 1847.

(a) Julia Turney King, born in Sibsagor, Assam, India, Feb. 1, 1880; died Feb. 7, 1880.

(b) Mabel Allen King, M.D., born in Kohima, Assam, India, Jan. 27, 1883. Residence, 4325 Champlain Ave., and 107 North Pine Ave., Chicago, Ill.

(c) Augustus Strong King, born in Kohima, Assam, India, Feb. 12, 1884; married Sept. 10, 1921, to Anna Marie Winkler, (daughter of Oscar Frederick Winkler and Emma Richter Winkler) who was born in Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 10, 1885. Residence, 107 North Pine Ave., Chicago, Ill.

(aa) Sheridan Allen King, born in Chicago, Ill., Feb. 13, 1924. Residence, 107 North Pine Ave., Chicago, Ill.

(bb) Emerson Lloyd King, born in Chicago, Ill., Oct. 31, 1925. Residence, 107 North Pine Ave., Chicago, Ill.

(d) Herbert Sweet King, born in London, England, Jan. 30, 1887; died in Sterling, Colo., Aug. 8, 1887.

(e) Elvira King, born in Stoneham, Colo., July 22, 1888; died Aug. 7, 1889.

(f) Gladys King, born in Stoneham, Colo., May 26, 1890; married Oct. 11, 1910, to John Mattison King. Residence, 5025 Fifth Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

(aa) John Ellsworth King, born in Chicago, Ill., Aug. 8, 1911; Corporal 27th Pursuit Squadron. Residence 5025 Fifth Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

(bb) Robert Emerson King, born in Chicago, Ill., Oct. 23, 1913; married Dec. 4, 1935 to Charlotte DeWitt. Residence, 212 Michigan Ave., Detroit, Mich.

(cc) James DeWitt King, born in Chicago, Ill., Aug. 1, 1917; married Dec. 31, 1937 to Janet; Residence, 203 Edgewater Ave., Vallejo, Calif.

4. Ella Pauline Sweet Pendleton Grether; born in Dundee, Mich., Feb. 23, 1851; died July 23, 1922; married July 7, 1870, to Alexander Pendleton, who was born about 1830 in Gwelph, Ontario. He drowned in the Detroit River about 1875.

(a) Myron Alexander Pendleton, born in Detroit, Mich., March 31, 1871; died June 11, 1872.

(b) Martha Anne Pendleton Raudebaugh Warson, born in Detroit, Mich., June 3, 1873; married March 8, 1891, to John Henry Raudebaugh. Residence, 953 Sycamore Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

(aa) Ruth Viola Raudebaugh Flegel, born in LaCarne,

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Ohio, Dec. 7, 1891; married April 7, 1912, to Jesse Harrison Flegle. Residence, 734 Utah St., Toledo, Ohio.

(aaa) Russell Uriah Flegle, born in Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 13, 1912; married Feb. 24, 1934, to Dorothy Jensen. Residence, 51 Main St., Tiffin, Ohio.

(aaaa) Marvin Arthur Flegle, born in Toledo, Ohio, Nov. 20, 1934.

(bbb) Willard John Flegle, born in Toledo, Ohio, April 30, 1915; married Aug. 28, 1939, to Jean Oehlschlegel. Residence, 1521 Liberty St., Toledo, Ohio.

(aaaa) Willard Jean Flegle, born in Toledo, Ohio, Nov. 27, 1940.

(ccc) Jesse H. Flegle, Jr., born in Toledo, Ohio, June 6, 1917; married June 10, 1937, to Mary Sauerwein. Residence, 586 Leonard St., Toledo, O.

(aaaa) Barbara Ann Flegle, born in Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 27, 1938.

(bbbb) Mary Frances Flegle, born in Toledo, Ohio, May 3, 1939.

(cccc) Sally Sue Flegle, born in Toledo, Ohio, Sept. 28, 1941.

NOTE: Martha Ann Pendleton Raudebaugh Alexander Warson married second June 11, 1914, to Guy Lee Warson, who died April 1940.

NOTE: Ella Pauline Sweet Pendleton Grether married June 3, 1884, to Edwin Frances Grether, who was born in Dayton, Ohio, June 12, 1857, and died in Chicago, Ill., Dec. 30, 1910. Children to this marriage are:

(c) Agnes May Grether Schuler, born in Cincinnati, Ohio, March 10, 1885; married June 24, 1903, to Joseph Henry Schuler, who was born in Louisville, Ky., March 4, 1883. Residence, 191 Liberty, Houma, La.; also 353 Oakley Drive, Shreveport, La.

(aa) Joseph Leonard Schuler, born at Leitchfield, Ky., March 2, 1908; married May 3, 1930, to Frances W. Strong. Residence, 4203 S 26 West Ave., Tulsa, Okla.

(aaa) Joseph Leonard Schuler, Jr., born at Andarka, Okla., Feb. 18, 1931.

(bbb) Frances Ann Schuler, born at Wewoka, Okla., Feb. 2, 1938.

(d) Viola Sarah Grether Smith Burrows, born at Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 10, 1889; married Nov. 27, 1903, to Walter Frank

C. Philena Hart Sweet—Family Chart Continued

Smith, who was born Aug. 18, 1888. Residence, 619 Topeka, Ave., Shreveport, La.

(aa) Howard Walter Smith, born at Tulsa, Okla., Sept. 18, 1915; married May 3, 1939, to Lois Lee Lane.

(aaaa) Walter Howard Smith, born at New Orleans, La., Jan. 11, 1940.

(bb) Ruth Viola Smith Burrows, born at Santa Cruz, Calif., June 24, 1922. Residence, 619 Topeka Ave., Shreveport, La.

NOTE: Viola Sarah Grether Smith Burrows married second Aug. 10, 1930, to James Elwood Burrows. Ruth Viola Smith was legally adopted by Mr. Burrows and bears his name.

5. Howard Myron Sweet, fifth child of Myron Whipple Sweet and Martha Ann Edwards Sweet, was born at Adrian, Mich., March 6, 1853; married Emma J. Hineline, who was born at Port Clinton, Ohio, Nov. 18, 1854, and died Aug. 3, 1879. Residence, 3383 East 137th Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

(a) Myron Whipple Sweet, born at LaCarne, Ohio, Aug. 3, 1874; married at Windham, Ohio, Dec. 21, 1905, to Blanche Kail Hunt who was born June 21, 1877. Residence, R. F. D. 1, Box 351, Niles, Ohio.

(aa) Richard Myron Sweet, born at Windham, Ohio, March 26, 1907; married at Berea, Ohio, Dec. 4, 1929, to Marie Meister who was born Jan. 3, 1907. Residence 20 Fourth St., Berea, Ohio.

(bb) Marjorie Helen Sweet Hawkins, born at Windham, Ohio, Nov. 7, 1908; married at Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 15, 1938, to Wylie P. Hawkins who was born Nov. 13, 1908. Residence, General Delivery, Wickford, R. I.

(aaa) Marjorie Helen Hawkins, born at Cleveland, Ohio, April 22, 1939.

(cc) Alice Marian Sweet Fee, born at Warren, Ohio, July 23, 1911; married at Youngstown, Ohio, March 3, 1934, to Walter J. Fee who was born Dec. 22, 1909. Residence, R. F. D. 2, Warren, Ohio.

(b) William H. Sweet, born at LaCarne, Ohio, Sept. 19, 1875. Lost in Spanish-American War.

(c) Herbert B. Sweet, born at LaCarne, Ohio, Jan. 7, 1877. Lost in Spanish-American War.

NOTE: Howard Myron Sweet married second to May McDaniel, (daughter of James Thomas Tipp and Minnie Fuller McDaniel Tipp,) who was born at Cherry Valley, Ohio, May 13, 1865. Resi-

C. Philena Hart Sweet—Family Chart Continued

dence, 3383 E. 137th St., Cleveland, Ohio. Children to this marriage are:

(d) Minnie McDaniel Sweet Monti, born at Beaver Falls, Pa., March 22, 1888; married Jan. 11, 1913, to Attilio Domenico Monti, who was born Feb. 10, 1884. Residence, 3383 E. 137th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

(aa) Leonard Basil Monti, born in Cleveland, Ohio, July 5, 1918.

(bb) James Howard Monti, born in Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 10, 1920.

(cc) Robert Fuller Monti, born in Cleveland, Ohio, March 17, 1927.

(e) Donald Howard Sweet, born in Beaver Falls, Pa., Sept. 16, 1889; married June 18, 1921, to Marjorie Wilmot Jones, who was born in Cleveland, Ohio, May 18, 1900. Residence, 934 Elmwood Ave., Evanston, Ill. Patent lawyer, 360 North Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.; and 1310 Hanna Build., Cleveland, Ohio.

(aa) Kenneth Thomas Sweet, born in Evanston, Ill., Aug. 10, 1923. Now with 6th Observation Squadron, Marshall Field, Fort Riley, Kansas.

(bb) Philip Carl Sweet, born in Evanston, Ill., July 19, 1925. Residence, 934 Elmwood Ave., Evanston, Ill.

(cc) David Vernon Sweet, born in Evanston, Ill., Aug. 14, 1930. Residence 934 Elmwood Ave., Evanston, Ill.

6. Flora McClaren Sweet, born at Adrian, Mich., Jan. 20, 1855; died July 21, 1855.

NOTE: Myron Whipple Sweet, son of Philena Hart Sweet and Richard Sweet, married second Feb. 28, 1858, to Margaret Metler, who was born Jan. 11, 1822, and who died Jan. 14, 1914. One child, a daughter, was born to this marriage:

7. Margaret Helen Sweet Seger, born Sept. 28, 1861; married Sept. 1, 1885, to Dr. Frederick Romaine Seger, who was born Feb. 3, 1863; died Nov. 2, 1893. Residence, 233 Division St., Adrian, Mich.

(a) Beatrice Armyne Seger Clement, born June 4, 1886; married Jan. 19, 1904, to Ralph Perry Clement, who was born Dec. 25, 1878. Residence, R. F. D. 2, Adrian, Mich.

(aa) Perry Seger Clement, born March 12, 1906. Residence, R. F. D. 2, Adrian, Mich.

(bb) Paul Frederick Clement, born Jan. 16, 1908; married Oct. 10, 1931, to Caroline Mae Eastman, born Aug. 3, 1912. Residence, Bakersfield, Calif.

(aaa) David Eastman Clement, born Feb. 10, 1936.

C. Philena Hart Sweet—Family Chart Continued

(cc) Theodore Roosevelt Clement, born Jan. 9, 1913; married June 4, 1942, to Helen Elizabeth Dausch, who was born March 31, 1924.

(dd) Thomas Hinkley Clement, born Jan. 19, 1914.

(ee) David Walter Clement, born June 20, 1922.

(b) Margaret Olive Seger Graham, born Feb. 3, 1888; married Oct. 17, 1910, to Grover Cleveland Graham, who was born July 25, 1885. Residence, 360 Crystal Ave., Adrian, Mich.

(aa) Margaret Ellen Graham Harris, born Nov. 17, 1912; married June 17, 1933, to Leslie Oliver Harris, who was born Sept. 23, 1909.

(aaa) Janet Lou Harris, born Jan. 26, 1936.

(bbb) Jack Oliver Harris, born Dec. 7, 1939.

(bb) Eleanor Jane Graham Bird, born June 29, 1915; married Oct. 13, 1934, to Devere Robert Bird, who was born April 20, 1914. Residence, 16713 Oakfield St., Detroit, Mich.

(aaa) Barbara Bird, born Nov. 12, 1937.

(bbb) Robert Devere Bird, born March 30, 1940; died March 31, 1940.

(ccc) Thomas Graham Bird, born Dec. 11, 1941.

(c) Frederick Romaine Seger, born June 29, 1890; married April 4, 1925, to Irene Piper, who was born June 24, 1903. Residence, 11 Main St., Milan, Mich.

(aa) Marion Jean Seger, born Dec. 22, 1927; died Feb. 15, 1929.

(bb) Martha Romaine Seger, born Feb. 17, 1932.

(cc) Susan Irene Seger, born April 10, 1935.

(dd) Courtland Hugh Seger, born June 22, 1939.

(d) Marion Lord Seger Judd, born Feb. 28, 1894; married April 22, 1915, to Joseph Hutchinson Judd, who was born Jan. 22, 1886. Residence, 1208 Ashwood Ave., Nashville, Tenn.

(aa) Joseph Hutchinson Judd, Jr., lawyer, born Jan. 12, 1916.

(bb) Eliza Bayless Judd Lee, born July 23, 1918; married Jan. 18, 1941, to James Milford Lee, Jr. Residence, 1729 Eleventh Ave., S. Birmingham, Ala.

(aaa) Marion Gale Lee, born June 27, 1942.

II. CHAUNCEY SWEET, born at Palmyra, New York, in 1825, and died in 1849.

III. LYMAN HART SWEET, born at Palmyra, N. Y., April 21, 1830; died Dec. 16, 1906, at Dundee, Mich.; married Oct. 29, 1854, to Lu-

C. Philena Hart Sweet—Family Chart Continued

cinda Rankin, who was born at Albany, New York, June 11, 1833, and who died March 24, 1906.

1. Clara Sweet Ellis, born Feb. 12, 1857; died _____; married Feb. 25, 1879, to Elmer Ellis, who was born May 2, 1853, and who died Oct. 8, 1925.

(a) Jennie Ellis Smith, born April 14, 1881; married to Cyrus J. Smith, who was born Aug. 18, 1876. Residence, Britton, Mich.

(aa) Clara Smith Des Ermia, born April 14, 1901; married June 27, 1921, to Lysle Des Ermia, who was born April 4, 1898. Residence, Tecumseh, Mich.

(aaa) Hugh Des Ermia, born Sept. 28, 1923. Residence, Britton, Mich.

(bbb) Keith Des Ermia, born Nov. 18, 1925. Residence, Onsted, Mich.

(ccc) Charles A. Des Ermia, born June 5, 1935. Residence, Tecumseh, Mich.

(bb) Stanley Smith, born June 1, 1907; married March 3, 1928, to Gladys Bets. Residence, Britton, Mich.

(aaa) Stanford Smith, born Sept. 4, 1930. Residence, Britton, Mich.

(b) Thurlow Ellis, born March 10, 1884; married Nov. 22, 1904, to Blanche Squires. Residence, R. F. D. 1, Dundee, Mich.

(aa) Maxine Ellis Lutz, born Feb. 4, 1906; married May 2, 1937, to Ruben H. Lutz. Residence, Dundee, Mich.

(c) Eber Ellis, born Sept. 22, 1889; married June 26, 1915, to Clara Janney, who was born June 26, 1893. Residence, Dundee, Mich.

(aa) Howard Ellis, born Dec. 14, 1920. Residence, Dundee, Mich.

2. Jennie Sweet, born Oct. 28, 1859; died Sept. 5, 1880.

CHAPTER XII

D. John Swift Hart—Seventh American Generation

John Swift Hart, the eldest son and fourth child of Silas Hart and Phile Swift Hart, named in honor of his mother's distinguished brother, General John Swift, was born in Litchfield County, Conn., on the 11th day of March, 1793.

When but two years of age he removed with his parents to Palmyra, New York, and was reared in that pioneer colony organized and developed by his uncle, the General John Swift. He was early taught the rudiments of farming and grew to be a strong and sturdy young man. He received a fair education in the town school of Palmyra conducted after the plan of the Colonial schools of New England and he became a man of more than ordinary ability and sound business judgment.

In 1813, when John Swift Hart had just reached manhood, his mother died. In the autumn of the same year, the father, Silas Hart, with his two sons, John Swift Hart, Julius Caesar Hart and his daughter, Julia Maria Hart, having again determined to pursue the pioneer life, moved to Columbiana County, Ohio. After residing for a time in Butler Township and at Lisbon, they took up their residence on the old "Fogo Farm" in the Yellow Creek Valley in Washington Township. While the father returned to his old home in New York a few years later, the two sons, John and Julius, and the daughter, Julia Maria, remained in the "wilderness" to clear away the forests and to establish homes.

Before engaging in agricultural pursuits, however, John Swift Hart in keeping with the military spirit and loyalty of the family, tendered his services to the American Army in its struggle against Great Britain in the war of 1812. He enlisted as a private in Captain Daniel Conner's Rifle Company, First Regiment (DeLong's) Ohio Militia, war of 1812, on the 13th day of January, 1814, and was discharged March 17, 1814. (See Roster Ohio Soldiers, War 1812, page 16). This organization was formed in southeastern Ohio, and was in the field only a short time when the entire command was discharged. For his services in the army, and in addition to his regular pay, he received from the United States Government a land warrant for 160 acres of land located in the territory of Wisconsin. This he afterwards sold to John McIntosh who entered the land about the year 1852.

Alexander Clark, about the year 1775, married Ruth Gordon Matthews and to them six children were born, the youngest of whom, Prudence Clark, was born March 3, 1803. She and John Swift Hart on March 4, 1819, without pomp or elaborate ceremony, but in keeping with the simplicity of the times, were united in marriage. The simple marriage ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents in Washington Township, a log cabin, by George Clark Esq., the first Justice of the Peace in Washington Township and an uncle of the bride. It was the age of large families and when Prudence Clark Hart had reached the age of forty four years she bore the distinction of having been the mother of seventeen children, fifteen of whom lived to reach the years of maturity.

John S. and Prudence Hart began housekeeping in a log cabin located on the "Fogo Farm" east of the Hazel Run Road. The main body of the house still remains in tact, having undergone repairs, however, on several occasions. It was afterwards occupied for some years as a home by Hector Sterling Hart, son of its first occupants and was afterwards owned by another son, the late Benjamin F. Hart, although it has been abandoned as a residence for three score years.

John Swift Hart spent the early years of his life in clearing away the immense forests which covered the hills and valleys about his modest home and at the time of his death he was possessed of 405 acres of land which for the most part he had, with the assistance of his sons, transformed from the hunting grounds of the Indian and the retreat of deer to the grain fields and orchards which became the rewards of his industry. The fact that this section had been the rendezvous of the early Indian tribes and on the line of their trail from the Ohio River to the settlements on the Tuscarawas River is evidenced by the many flint arrow heads and stone implements which were readily picked up and in the collection of which Father Hart took great delight, as one of the pioneers of this section.

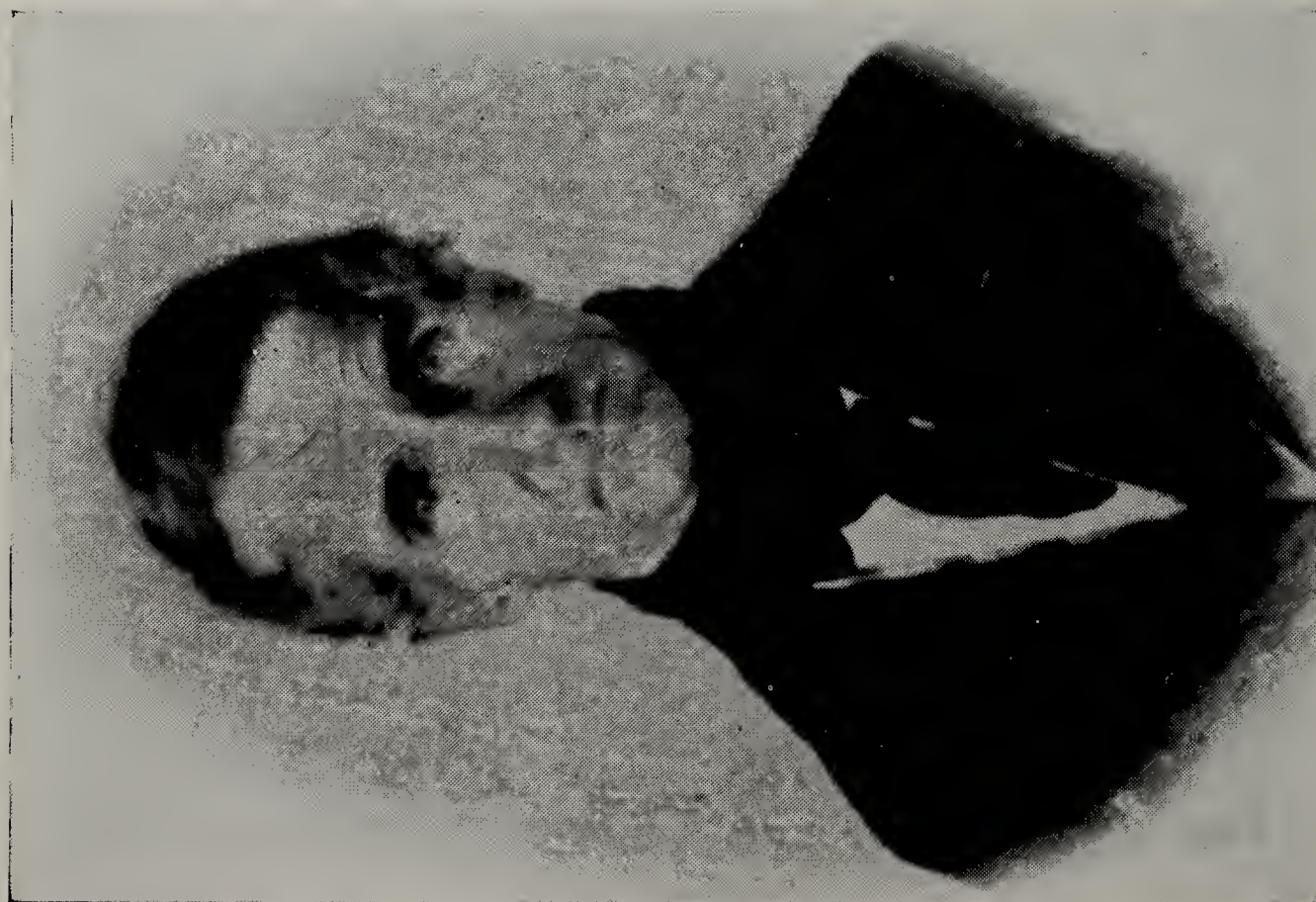
One of the principal inducements which attracted early settlers to the Yellow Creek Valley was the presence of its many salt springs and wells which offered employment to the people in salt making as one of their principal sources of revenue. The Hart family, doubtless, selected this locality for residence on this account and for many years Father Hart was one of the principal salt boilers in the valley, securing the water from a well now covered by the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad tracks near the recent location of the Posyville coal mine. He built for that purpose near the foot of the hill a huge stone furnace upon which was mounted large iron kettles in which he made the salt. The firewood for these kettles was secured from the bottom land close by, near the recent home of John C. Hart, which at that time was thickly covered with great maples and sycamores. When manufactured the salt was hauled to Wellsville on the Ohio river where it was sold or rather exchanged for household commodities.

The principal occupation of John Swift Hart, however, was that of farming, and wheat was the chief product of soil cultivation. He usually sowed from fifty to one hundred acres each year and often had a yield of from one to two thousand bushels. The wheat was harvested with sickle and grain cradle and it was not unusual to see five or six men, father and sons, swinging their cradles day after day, while as many men followed with hand rakes gathering and binding the grain.

In 1832 John S. Hart erected on his homestead farm north of Clark's Tank what in those days was considered a palatial residence, which in beauty and strength was unsurpassed in that section of Ohio. It is a large two-story brick structure with an immense basement kitchen having a great old-fashioned fire place in the east end. The foundation and great steps about the outside were made of large blocks of stone quarried and dressed by Father Hart on his own farm. In 1836 he erected a large brick barn which became a companion building to the residence erected four years earlier. The bricks from which both were built were made and burned on the farm near by, and that they were exceedingly well made is attested by the fact that the residence building is still in tact after more



Prudence Clark Hart—1803-1877



John Swift Hart—1793-1863

than one hundred years. This old homestead has been in possession of the Hart family since April 27, 1821, when it was purchased from the government. It was owned and occupied for a number of years by Anson L. B. Hart and later by Alexander Hart, and is still owned by the children of the latter. Father Hart much enjoyed working in timber and stone and the result of his labors in this respect can be seen on all hands about the old homestead.

Father Hart was a man of great activity, and great muscular strength. His services were much sought after on occasions of the old time barn-raising when strong men were much in demand, and upon one such occasion he narrowly escaped fatal injuries by jumping from the building. This occasion was at a barn-raising on the John Dreghorn farm at which time a heavy timber fell and narrowly missed him, but killed a neighbor, Robert McCauley.

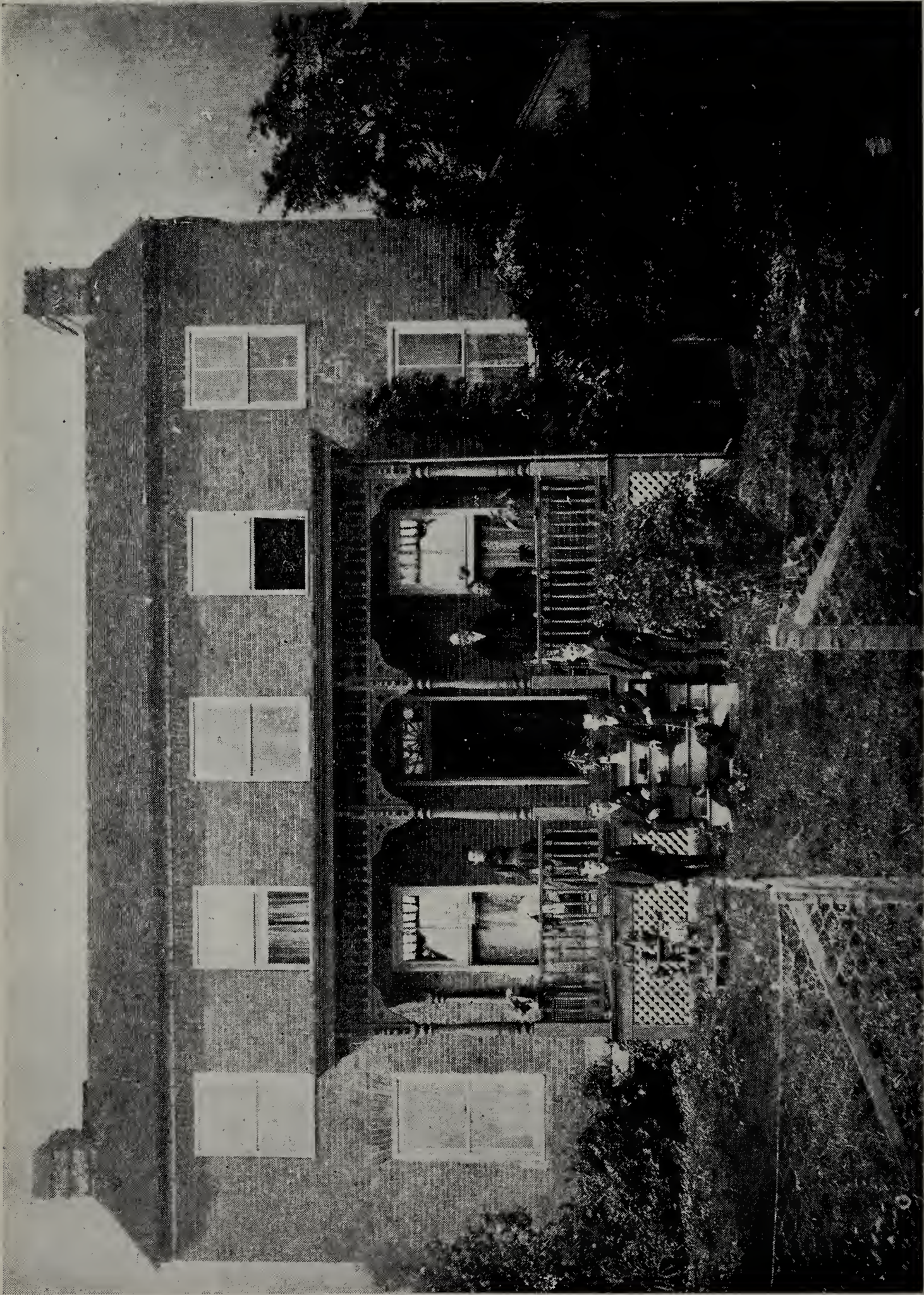
For a few years prior to the Civil War he conducted a general store near Clark's Tank, the store building being afterwards moved and reconstructed into the house later owned by John C. Hart and located east of Clark's Mills in Yellow Creek Valley. While working about a coal tipple in the year 1855 he fell and received a severe injury from which he never fully recovered. The injury seemed to bring on a sort of paralysis of the lower limbs from which he suffered to some degree until his death. After his injury he was unable to remain long in one position and was often obliged to stand, at all times supporting himself with a cane.

Father Hart took much interest in educational matters and was instrumental in organizing the first school in eastern Washington Township, the school house being erected and the school maintained by private subscription to which enterprise he contributed liberally. The site of the school house was on Father Hart's land, known as the Andrew Smith farm, later owned by Benjamin F. Hart. It was on the line next to the land of John Dreghorn. The old school house burned down more than one hundred years ago and its location was until recently marked only by a few stones and brick which withstood the fire.

Father John S. Hart was a strong abolitionist and his views and expressions on the slavery question and the perpetuity of the Union and its flag became the inspiration which called to the front as volunteers in the Union Army, all his seven sons who were eligible for army service. The only remaining son, Anson L. B. Hart, was disqualified for military service by reason of having lost the sight of one of his eyes in a coal mine explosion accident a few years before the war. Father Hart was ever ready to share the burden of public affairs and always did so with credit to himself and to the satisfaction of his neighbors and fellow-citizens. In 1845, 1846 and 1847 he was elected Trustee of Washington Township for the three successive years.

Father John Swift Hart was a man of exemplary conduct and habits. He was highly respected by all his neighbors and the circle of his friendship was very large. He was industrious, self-sacrificing and patient, and above all he possessed an ardent love for country and for the Supreme Ruler of our destinies.

The last years of his life were full of physical infirmity. A paralysis of the lower limbs resulted in his death on the first day of November, 1863,



John Swift Hart Homestead, built in 1832—Photographed in 1890, when Occupied by Alexander Hart and Family

while seven of his eight sons were absent from home in the ranks of the Union army. A white marble shaft fifteen feet high marks his resting place in the south-east corner of Highlandtown Cemetery and beside him sleeps his faithful wife, Prudence Clark Hart, whose death occurred March 24, 1877.

The will of John Swift Hart was probated in the Probate Court of Columbiana County, Ohio, on the 18th day of December, 1863. The will is as follows:

"In the name of the Benevolent Father of all, I, Johns S. Hart of Washington Township, Columbiana County, State of Ohio, do make and publish this my last will and testament.

Item First: I give and devise to my beloved wife, in lieu of her dower for her support and the minor children, the farm on which we now reside situated in Washington Township, containing about one hundred and forty five acres; also a farm situated on the railroad in the aforesaid township, containing about one hundred and forty acres; also a farm formerly belonging to Alexander Smith, deceased, containing one hundred and sixty acres in the aforesaid township, during her natural life; and all the stock, household goods, furniture provisions and other goods and chattels which may be thereon at the time of my decease, during her natural life as aforesaid, she however selling so much thereof as may be sufficient to pay my just debts.

At the death of my said wife, the estate aforesaid I give and devise to my sons and daughters or their children if living.

As my son Anson was so unfortunate as to loose the sight of one of his eyes I give and devise to him five hundred dollars and an equal share with the rest of my children; If however any of my children should not be living, then their share I give and devise to their children if any living, if not their share is to be equally divided among my children. If however my daughter Laurinda should survive her mother and not be capable of maintaining herself, and it is considered that her share would not be sufficient for her maintenance, then it is my will that there should be sufficient reserved out of the estate for her maintenance.

I do hereby nominate and appoint Alexander Hart and Anson Hart executors of this my last will and testament, etc.

In testimony hereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 9th day of March in the year 1859.

JOHN S. HART.

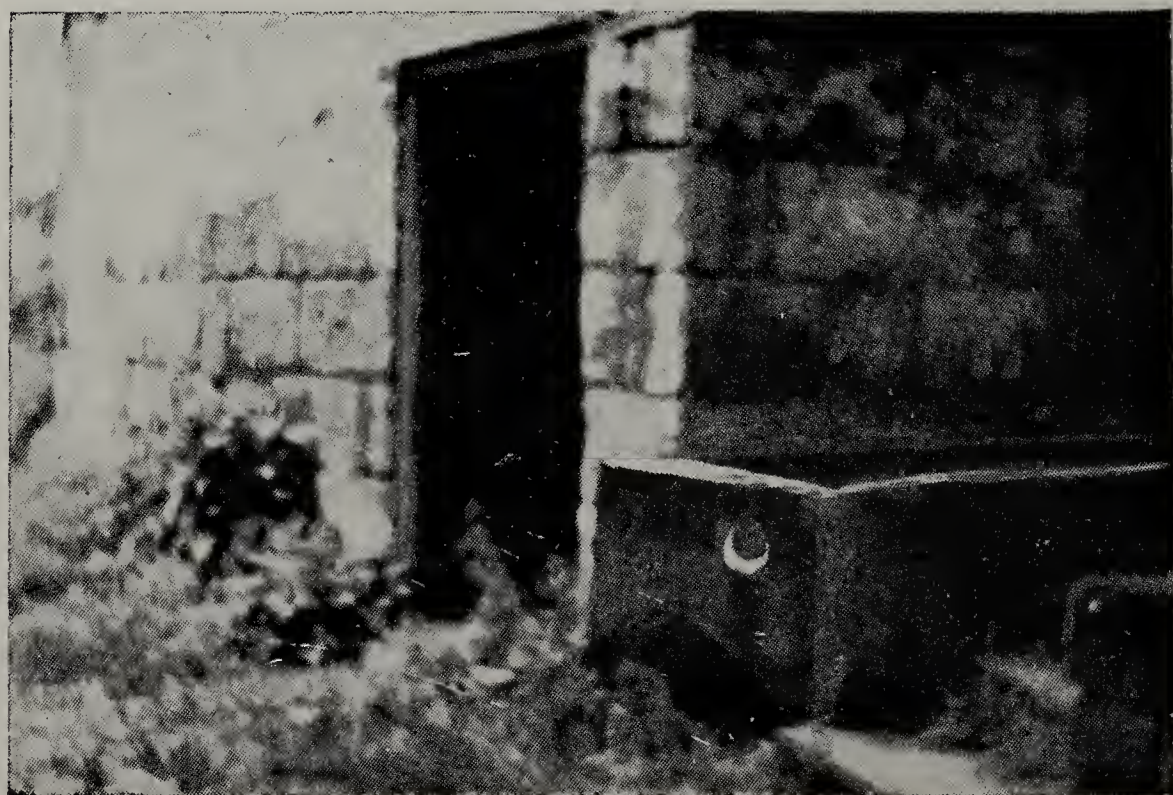
Signed and acknowledged by said John S. Hart as his last will and testament in our presence, and signed by us in his presence.

THEOPHILUS COX
JAMES DENNIS."

After the death of Father Hart, Mother Prudence Hart resided on the old homestead with her unmarried sons, Anson and William, until the year 1870 when she moved to Alliance, Ohio, where she owned and resided in

what was known as the Lafayette Wonders property on the southwest corner of Cambridge Street and South Arch Avenue in that city. Here she resided until the year 1875 when she moved to Wellsville, Ohio, where she died. She is buried in the Highlandtown Cemetery. The children of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart, his wife, are as follows:

- I. Philena Hart, born Dec. 13, 1819.
- II. Myron Hart, born Feb. 1, 1821.
- III. Lydia Ann Hart Gilson, born Sept. 29, 1822.
- IV. Lyman Hart, born July 24, 1824.
- V. John Hart, born March 17, 1826.
- VI. Phila Hart McPherson, born Sept. 4, 1827.
- VII. Sarah Hart Anderson, born Feb. 10, 1829.
- VIII. Silas Hart, born Oct. 20, 1830.
- IX. Alexander Hart, born June 18, 1832.
- X. Matilda Hart Smith, born July 12, 1834.
- XI. Anson L. B. Hart, born April 2, 1836.
- XII. Almyra Hart Smith, born Jan. 10, 1838.
- XIII. Lorinda Hart, born Nov. 10, 1839.
- XIV. Hector Sterling Hart, born Jan. 17, 1842.
- XV. Benjamin Franklin Hart, born Sept. 17, 1843.
- XVI. Rachel E. Hart, born Dec. 29, 1844.
- XVII. William F. Hart, born March 17, 1847.



Stone Water Tank at John Swift Hart Homestead, Hewn Out of Solid Rock by John Swift Hart in 1835

CHAPTER XIII

Prudence Clark Hart and Her Ancestors

In the present chapter of this history will be found a brief record of the ancestry of Prudence Clark Hart, wife of John Swift Hart, and also some facts concerning her own life, not already related in the chapter devoted to the life of her husband, John Swift Hart.

The paternal grandfather of Prudence Clark Hart was Samuel Clark who was of large stature, very athletic and of fair complexion. Her paternal grandmother was Eleanor Violet Dawson Clark. She was of Scotch ancestry, small in stature and had dark hair and eyes. Her maiden name was Violet. She was twice married, her first husband being Nicholas Dawson. To this first marriage three children were born. Ex-Congressman John L. Dawson is her grandson. To her second marriage with Samuel Clark, four children were born, (1) **Alexander Clark**, (2) George Clark, (3) Samuel Clark, Jr. and (4) Hugh Clark. Eleanor Violet Clark died near New Salisbury on the North Fork of Yellow Creek and was buried in the old cemetery in the heart of Wellsville, which cemetery has been since removed to Spring Hill Cemetery, overlooking that city and the Ohio River. Samuel Clark died, aged about forty years, on Raccoon River, Pennsylvania, where he is buried.

Alexander Clark, the eldest child and son of Samuel and Eleanor Clark, and the father of Prudence Clark Hart, was born at Redstone, Pennsylvania, February 27, 1771. On March 15, 1794, he was married to Ruth Gordon Mathews, who was born at Mill Creek, Penn., Jan. 1, 1776, Gordon being her mother's maiden family name. They were married at Mill Creek by the Rev. Joseph Patterson. Ruth Gordon Mathews, who became the mother of Prudence Clark Hart, was the daughter of James Mathews and Prudence Gordon Mathews. She died at the home of her daughter, Eleanor Clark Russell near Pine Grove, Ohio, in 1858, in her eighty-second year. Her father, James Mathews, who was born in 1750 and died in Mahoning County, Ohio, in 1845, emigrated from Ireland previous to the Revolutionary War. He and his two brothers, Thomas and William Mathews, came to America in a sail boat and were seventeen weeks crossing the Atlantic. Samuel Clark, brother of Prudence Clark Hart and the eldest son of Alexander Clark and Ruth Gordon Mathews, who kept a dairy or memorandum, made the following entry in his lifetime:

"Grandfather Mathews (James Mathews) emigrated from Ireland previous to the Revolutionary War. He was seventeen weeks crossing the ocean. Two brothers accompanied him. Thomas and William and all were Revolutionary soldiers."

From another source we learn that James Mathews was a private in Capt. Mathew Gregg's Company, Second Battalion Cumberland County Militia, War of the Revolution (see page 157, Vol. 6, Pennsylvania Archives, Fifth Series.) James Mathews with his brothers Thomas and William emigrated from Tyrone, Ireland, at the commencement of the Revolutionary War. They all enlisted and served and were regularly and honorably dis-

chargd as soldiers in that war. James and William married sisters by the name of Gordon from Western Pennsylvania. William married Rachel Gordon and James married Prudence Gordon. James died at the age of ninety-five years and his wife, Prudence, died at the age of ninety-six, and are buried in the Presbyterian Church cemetery at Poland, Mahoning County, Ohio. (Copied from family record). (See Pennsylvania Archives, Series 3, Vol. 23, pages, 276, 700 and 754.) All the descendants of James Mathews, including the descendants of Prudence Clark Hart are eligible to membership in either the Sons of the American Revolution or the Daughters of the American Revolution.

An interesting incident in the early life of Ruth Gordon Matthews Clark, which has been preserved among the traditions of the Clark family, is to the effect that when she was a small child she was captured and carried away by some Indians in Western Pennsylvania. Her little brother, only some seven or eight years of age, saw the capture from a distance and ran after them to rescue his little sister, when he too was carried off. He was a brave and alert youngster and during the following night, while the Indians slept, he escaped, taking little Ruth with him. He made his way back home, where he was met by his terrified parents and a few neighbors who had learned of the children's disappearance.

Alexander Clark died in the year 1839. There was born to him and his wife, Ruth Gordon Mathews Clark, six children, as follows:

1. Samuel Clark, who was born March 4, 1797, and died October 30, 1880. His children were Dr. Alexander Clark, born March 10, 1834, and died July 6, 1879; William M. Clark who resided at 4435 Frankford Ave., Philadelphia, and who was the inventor and manufacturer of the "Model Printing Press"; and Lydia Clark.
2. Alanson Clark, deceased—Fancy Creek, Wis.
3. Joshua Clark, deceased—Black River, Wis.
4. Eleanor Clark Russell, deceased, Hammondsville, Ohio.
5. Rachel Clark, deceased—Fancy Creek, Wis.
6. **Prudence Clark Hart.**

Prudence Clark Hart, sixth child of Alexander Clark, and wife of John Swift Hart, named in honor of her grandmother, Prudence Gordon Mathews, was the mother of seventeen children, whose names and families are noted in the genealogy of the John Swift Hart family in the preceding chapter. She was indeed a mother in Israel. Her gentleness, her kindness and her constant cheerfulness were the main assets of her character. She was the queen of a model, well governed home. She was a great admirer of music, was herself a beautiful singer, and seemed to have transmitted this musical talent to a number of her children and grandchildren.

She was an interesting letter writer and kept in close touch through correspondence with the members of her family and relationship. A beautiful correspondence was carried on by her with her seven sons while they were in the army during the Civil War. On one occasion she went to Philadelphia to visit her son, Hector Sterling, who was seriously ill in an army hospital at that place.

The following is a letter of family interest written to Prudence Clark

Hart by James Mathews, her cousin, a lawyer of Knoxville, Iowa, he being the son of Alexander Mathews who was a brother of Ruth Gordon Mathews, mother of Prudence Clark Hart.

"Knoxville, Iowa.

Feb. 26, 1877.

Mrs. Prudence Hart,
Wellsville, Ohio.

My Dear Cousin:

Your welcome letter of the 7th inst. came duly to hand but have been unable to answer till today. Though it is a good many years since we visited you, our recollection of you and your family as it then was is quite vivid, and rest assured we were exceedingly glad to hear from you, and gain the information you gave about your children, our Uncle William, etc. I wrote to, and had a letter from cousin Samuel about four years ago. Also wrote him about a month ago, but to that letter, have received no answer. I have also corresponded considerably with Rev. Alexander Clark, though not within two or three years past. I believe he now lives as he did when we were corresponding in Pittsburgh, or Allegheny City. I should be quite glad to hear again from your brother, Samuel, and hope he may yet write me. We removed from Coshocton, Ohio, to this town twenty two years ago, this spring. We have a splendid country though the town improved quite slowly until about eighteen months ago we got a railroad here (a branch of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, R. R.) and about four months ago, we got another, an extension of the Chicago Rock Island & Pacific. When the first named road was built here, Knoxville numbered only about 1,500 inhabitants, and now it contains 3500, and is rapidly improving. We have a fine residence in town with fruits, flowers, evergreens and other shrubbery about, and all that we could desire; only that since our children are all married off but one, we have too much room; nevertheless we do not like to part with our homestead, but have limited our grounds by selling off town lots, until we have only about an acre left. To keep this in good order, and do other necessary chores and work pertaining to housekeeping occupies my time about as busily as I could wish. We have also retained for our own purposes 60 acres of land just out of town on the south side on which we have a large orchard and nursery. This belongs to our son and myself, he being the only one of our children who is yet single, and who lives with us. Our eldest daughter married just after we moved here to W. M. Stone, who read law with me in Coshocton, Ohio, and we became partners. The partnership continued after we moved until he went into the army where he remained till the battle of Vicksburgh, where he was wounded pretty badly. He then came home on furlough and while at home, he was elected Governor of Iowa, which he held four years. Since then he has practiced law here. They live only one square from us, say two hundred yards, and have just finished a fine residence. His wife's name is Caroline. They have one son, now thirteen years old.

Our second daughter, Augusta, lives in the city of Philadelphia. She married Dr. A. E. Foote, who was professor of chemistry and geology in the Iowa State Agricultural College six years. They moved to Philadelphia a year ago, and the doctor exhibited at the Centennial the largest geological collection perhaps ever owned by any private individual in the United States. When the doctor and Augusta got married, she was teacher of instrumental music in the college, which position she had occupied about four years. They have had three children, the eldest a boy four years and a half old. Their second, a daughter, died over a year ago in St. Louis where they then lived and they have one son born six weeks ago. Our third daughter, Tillie, is married to F. C. Barker, who is the owner and principal editor of the Knoxville Journal of which I send you a copy. They live about as far from us as Stone does. They have no children. Helen, our next daughter is married to Charles H. Robinson who is a young lawyer, and is our County Auditor, which office he has held three years. They have commenced to build on the opposite side of the street from our residence. They have no family yet, and are staying with us until their house is finished. Addie, our youngest daughter, was married last fall to C. H. Edwards of Des Moines, where they now live, but they expect to settle somewhere in Texas, where they will go in about a month. Mr. Edwards had a musical instrument store in Des Moines City which he has sold out, and expects to establish himself in the same business in Texas. I shall be glad to hear from you again, and would like to know what has become of Uncle George Wilhelm's children, son and daughter. Their son was here in Knoxville about the time we moved here, but we did not know it then. He did not call on us. Perhaps did not know we were here, or perhaps did not remember us. Affectionately, your cousin,—

James Mathews."

The patriotism of Prudence Clark Hart was unbounded, and in the dark days of the Civil War, she committed the lives of seven of her sons to service in the Union cause. The Buckeye State, a newspaper published at Lisbon in 1865, under the title, "A Patriotic Mother," said:

"A PATRIOTIC MOTHER"

"Mrs. Prudence Hart, of Washington Township, Columbiana County, had seven sons in the Union Army during the late war, all of whom served out their time, were honorably mustered out and have returned home unhurt and well, viz: Frank, three years in 32nd O. V. I. and 26th Ohio Battery; Hector, three years in 126th O. V. I.; William, twenty months in 26th Ohio Battery; Alexander, four months in 143rd O. N. G.; John, Silas and Lyman, one year each in 46th Wisconsin. They were with their respective commands during the campaigns and battles in which they bore a conspicuous part. Is there a parallel case? Mrs. Hart, with all, is a most thorough-going Union lady—intelligent and her patriotic ardor was not dampened in the least by the service her sons gave to their country. They went with her blessing and prayers that the cause in which they

periled all might triumph. Devotion has its reward. The cause is secured beyond cavil, and her sons at home in peace."

Prudence Clark Hart was a thoroughly devoted Christian woman and a life long member of the Methodist Episcopal Church. She died at her home in Wellsville, Ohio, March 24, 1877, and was buried beside her husband in the Highlandtown cemetery. Her pastor at the time of her death, Rev. J. H. Conkle, wrote and published in the Wellsville Union under date of March 27, 1877, the following Memorial, touching her life and death:

MEMOIR

"One of the most noted women of southern Columbiana County passed from our midst in the death of Mrs. Prudence Hart.

Prudence Clark Hart was born March 3rd, 1803, in Beaver County, Pa., and died March 24, 1877, in Wellsville, Ohio. In her early years with her parents, she removed to this county where she was married to John S. Hart with whom she lived up to the time of his death, Nov. 1, 1863. During these forty four years, she found work for her hands, heart and head on their farm near Highlandtown in this county. Here she became the mother of seventeen children, nearly all arriving at mature life. Ten of these are still living, of whom all but two are members of some branch of the Christian Church. Seven of her sons were in the army of the Union during the Civil War.

In 1884, she united with the M. E. Church, continuing in her communion as a devout Christian until translated to the Church above. In 1870, she removed to Alliance, where she was foremost in all social and benevolent agencies of the Church. For a year she resided in Wellsville, Ohio, where her cheery face, suggestive counsels and quaint ways were the delight of all who had the good fortune to know her. She was passionately fond of music and had the energy and taste to cultivate this love down to her latest days. She has left a memory that cannot be forgotten by her hosts of relatives and friends."

The genealogical record of the Mathews and Clark families from whom Prudence Clark Hart descended is here recorded.

JAMES MATTHEWS, born 1750; died in Mahoning County, Ohio, in 1845; married in 1774 to Prudence Gordon who died at Columbiana, Ohio, aged 96. James Matthews was a private in Capt. Matthew Grigg's Company, Second Battalion, Cumberland County Militia, War of Revolution. (See page 157, Volume VI, Pennsylvania Archives, Fifth Series.) Their descendants are:

I. **RUTH GORDON MATTHEWS**, born January 1, 1776; died May 22, 1857; married March 15, 1794, to Alexander Clark who was born February 27, 1771, and who died in 1839.

II. **ALEXANDER MATTHEWS**, born 1779; died 1855; married 1804 to Hannah Kreitzer who was born in 1785 and died in 1875.

(a) James Matthews, born 1805; died 1886; married to Mary Conley who was born in 1815 and died in 1899. Lawyer by profession.

(aa) Benton Alexander Matthews, born 1844; died ; married 1878 to Cynthia Lindley, who was born in 1844.

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(aaa) Mary Matthews, Knoxville, Iowa. Member Daughters American Revolution (National No. 112031.)

(bbb) Alice Matthews Weaver, Knoxville, Iowa. Member of Daughters of American Revolution. (National No. 113788.)

(bb) Caroline Matthews Stone, married to William M. Stone, lawyer and Governor of Iowa, 1864-1868.

(cc) Augusta Matthews Foote, married to Dr. A. E. Foote, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

(dd) Tillie Matthews Barker, married to F. C. Barker, Editor of Knoxville Journal, Knoxville, Iowa.

(ee) Helen Matthews Robinson, married to Charles H. Robinson, lawyer, Knoxville, Iowa.

(ff) Addie Matthews Edwards, married to C. H. Edwards, Des Moines, Iowa.

III. JOHN MATTHEWS

IV. MICHAEL MATTHEWS

V. JOSEPH MATTHEWS

VI. RACHEL MATTHEWS SCOTT, married to William Scott.

VII. PRUDENCE MATTHEWS THORN, married to Thorn.

SAMUEL CLARK, born in Hagerstown, Maryland; died at Raccoon River, Beaver County, Pennsylvania; married Eleanor Violet Dawson who died at New Salisbury, Columbiana County, Ohio. Their children are:

I. **ALEXANDER CLARK**, born Feb. 27, 1771, died in 1839; married March 15, 1794, to **Ruth Gordon Matthews**, who was born Jan. 1, 1776. and who died May 22, 1857. Buried at Monroeville (near Salineville, Ohio) cemetery.

(a) Samuel Clark, born March 4, 1797; died October 30, 1880. Children:

(aa) Dr. Alexander Clark, born March 10, 1834; died July 6, 1879.

(bb) William M. Clark, inventor and manufacturer of Model Printing Press, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

(cc) Lydia Clark, deceased, Wellsville, Ohio.

(b) Alanson Clark, Fancy Creek, Wisconsin.

(c) Joshua Clark, Black River, Wisconsin.

(d) Eleanor Clark Russell, born March 6, 1809; died April 1, 1886; married August 28, 1828, to John Russell, who was born Sept. 12, 1805, and died Feb. 21, 1888. (See Columbiana County, Ohio, marriage records, Volume II, page 324.)

Children:

(aa) Robert Russell, born May 22, 1829; died April 2,

1905; married September 16, 1852, to Mary Clark Roach, who was born April 18, 1829, and died July 2, 1899. Children:

(aaa) Adaline Russell Gosnell, born July 2, 1853; married June 6, 1878, to William Gosnell.

(bbb) Elizabeth Ellen Russell Call born April 4, 1855; married June 11, 1877, to Ellsworth Call.

(ccc) Emily Jane Russell, born Aug. 18, 1857.

(ddd) Sarah Cornelia Russell Dunn, born Dec. 3, 1859; married Oct. 16, 1879, to Robert A. Dunn.

(eee) Joseph Henderson Russell, born Sept. 11, 1862; married Jan. 28, 1899, to Emma L. Draper, who was born Feb. 18, 1868. Joseph Henderson Russell died March 8, 1921. Children:

(aaaa) Constance Rosalind Draper Russell Taylor, born Feb. 5, 1900; married Oct. 7, 1933, to Frank Butler Taylor.

(fff) William Edward Russell, born Nov. 23, 1865; married Grace Weston, Minerva, Ohio. They have three sons.

(ggg) Harriet Ann Russell, born Aug. 18, 1868; died Feb. 10, 1871.

(hhh) Matthew Howard Russell, born March 3, 1871; died Nov. 13, 1879.

(bb) James C. Russell, born Oct. 4, 1830; died Oct. 9, 1885; married Anna Householder. Minister. Children:

(aaa) J. Edgar Russell. Minister.

(cc) Sarah Russell Orin, born June 28, 1832; died Feb. 22, 1901; married John Orin, who was born in 1830 and died in 1897. Resided at Highlandtown, Ohio.

(dd) Thomas W. Russell, born Feb. 1, 1834; died May 10, 1900; married Sarah Dorance who was born in 1837 and died Feb. 3, 1912.

(ee) Susan Russell Householder, married to Horatio Householder.

(ff) Joseph Russell, born 1838; died April 14, 1862. Civil War veteran.

(gg) Jane Russell Wilson, born Sept. 14, 1841; died Oct. 24, 1867; married William Wilson who was born in 1841, and died in 1913. Resided near Highlandtown, Columbiana County, Ohio.

(hh) John Russell, born March 6, 1844; died May 29, 1848.

(e) Rachel Clark, deceased. Fancy Creek, Wisconsin.

(f) **Prudence Clark Hart**, born March 3, 1803; died March 24, 1877; married March 4, 1819, to John Swift Hart, who

was born March 11, 1793, and who died Nov. 1, 1863. Their children and descendants are noted in Chapter XII.

(g) Sallie Clark Wycoff.

II. GEORGE CLARK, born ; died ; buried in Clark family burying ground south of Highlandtown, Columbiana County, Ohio. Married to Hannah Vaughn. Children:

(a) Alexander Clark, married Lydia Marshall. Their children:

(aa) Thomas Clark.

(bb) Diana Clark.

(cc) Mary Clark.

(dd) Rebecca Clark.

(ee) Savilla Clark.

(ff) George Clark.

(gg) Moses Clark.

(hh) John Clark.

(ii) Ethan Allen Clark. Died Memphis, Tennessee. Soldier in Civil War.

(jj) Franklin Clark.

(aaa) Mary Clark.

(bbb) George Clark, married to Harriet Hart, Lisbon, Ohio.

(ccc) Corrine Klotz.

(ddd) Bessie Patterson, wife of Frank Patterson, Minerva, Ohio.

(eee) Gertrude Clark.

(fff) Howard Clark.

(ggg) Alvin Clark.

(kk) Bertran Clark.

(b) Stehen V. Clark, born ; died April 11, 1873; married Jan. 10, 1828, to Rachel Gilson, who died Oct. 30, 1878. Children:

(aa) John Clark, born Oct. 28, 1828; died Nov. 3, 1889. Miller at Clark's Mills on Yellow Creek, southeast of Salineville, Ohio. Unmarried.

(bb) Lydia B. Clark, born Jan. 22, 1830; died June 3, 1870.

(cc) Mary Clark Kerr, born Nov. 12, 1832; died April 22, 1875; married Oct. 22, 1868, to Samuel C. Kerr, who was born Jan. 14, 1831, and who died Oct. 13, 1905. Children:

(aaa) John F. Kerr, born Nov. 22, 1869; died Sept. 10, 1939. Salineville, Ohio.

(dd) Elizabeth Clark, born Feb. 2, 1836; died June 5, 1863.

(ee) Rebecca P. Clark, born June 22, 1838; died March 8, 1911.

(ff) George B. Clark, born Nov. 14, 1840; died July 23, 1863.

(gg) Richard G. Clark, born May 3, 1843; died Feb. 2, 1865.

(hh) Martha E. Clark, born Sept. 1845; died Sept. 25, 1847.

(c) George Clark.

(d) Richard Clark.

(e) Perry J. Clark, married to Rachel Johnson. Children:

(aa) Henry B. Clark, married to Agnes Gilson. Children:

(aaa) Mervin B. Clark.

(bbb) Richard G. Clark.

(ccc) George B. Clark, born Nov. 23, 1873; died Nov. 2, 1936.

(ddd) Ethel Clark Boyd.

(eee) Wade Clark.

(bb) Nancy Clark Love, married to Robert Love, Irondale, Ohio.

(f) Lydia Clark Brothers, married to Levi Brothers, Minerva, Ohio. Children:

(aa) George Brothers.

(bb) Joseph Brothers.

(cc) Lydia Brothers.

(dd) Stephen Brothers.

(ee) John Brothers.

(ff) Austin Brothers.

(gg) Fanny Brothers.

(hh) Richard Brothers.

(ii) William Brothers.

(g) Nellie Clark Fishel, married to Frederick Fishel. Children:

(aa) Abner Fishel.

(bb) Ellen Fishel.

(cc) Alexander Fishel.

(dd) Frederick Fishel.

(ee) Hannah Fishel.

(ff) Adam Fishel.

(h) Diana Clark Gilson, married to James Gilson. Children:

(aa) George Gilson.

(bb) Hannah Cinderelle Gilson.

(i) Elizabeth Clark.

(j) Fanny Clark.

(k) Hannah Clark.

III. SAMUEL CLARK.

IV. HUGH CLARK, born in 1778 near Brownsville, Pa.; died Sept. 12, 1857. Buried at Monroeville (near Salineville, Ohio) cemetery; married in 1811 to Miss Fishel. The family first lived at Mad River, Clark County. Children:

(a) Mary Clark.

(b) Eleanor Clark.

NOTE: Hugh Clark was married second in 1816 to Letitia Kerr, who was born Aug. 9, 1803; died Jan. 9, 1855. Resided on Yellow Creek, south of Salineville, Ohio. (Letitia Kerr was the daughter of James Kerr and Hannah Beard.) Their children:

(a) Violet Clark.

(b) James Clark.

(c) Amelia Clark.

(d) Julia Clark.

(e) George D. Clark.

(f) Letitia J. Clark.

(g) John Littleton Clark, Pawnee City, Nebraska.

NOTE: James Kerr and Hannah Beard, parents of Letitia Kerr Clark, had eight children:

(a) Letitia Kerr Clark, wife of Hugh Clark.

(b) William Kerr.

(c) Mary Downard.

(d) Amelia Woodburn.

(e) Hannah Marshall.

(f) James Kerr.

(g) Julia Roach.

CHAPTER XIV

Family of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart

In this chapter will be given some of the pertinent historical facts concerning the families of each of the children of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart. There were seventeen of such children whose records and that of their families will be given in the order of their births.

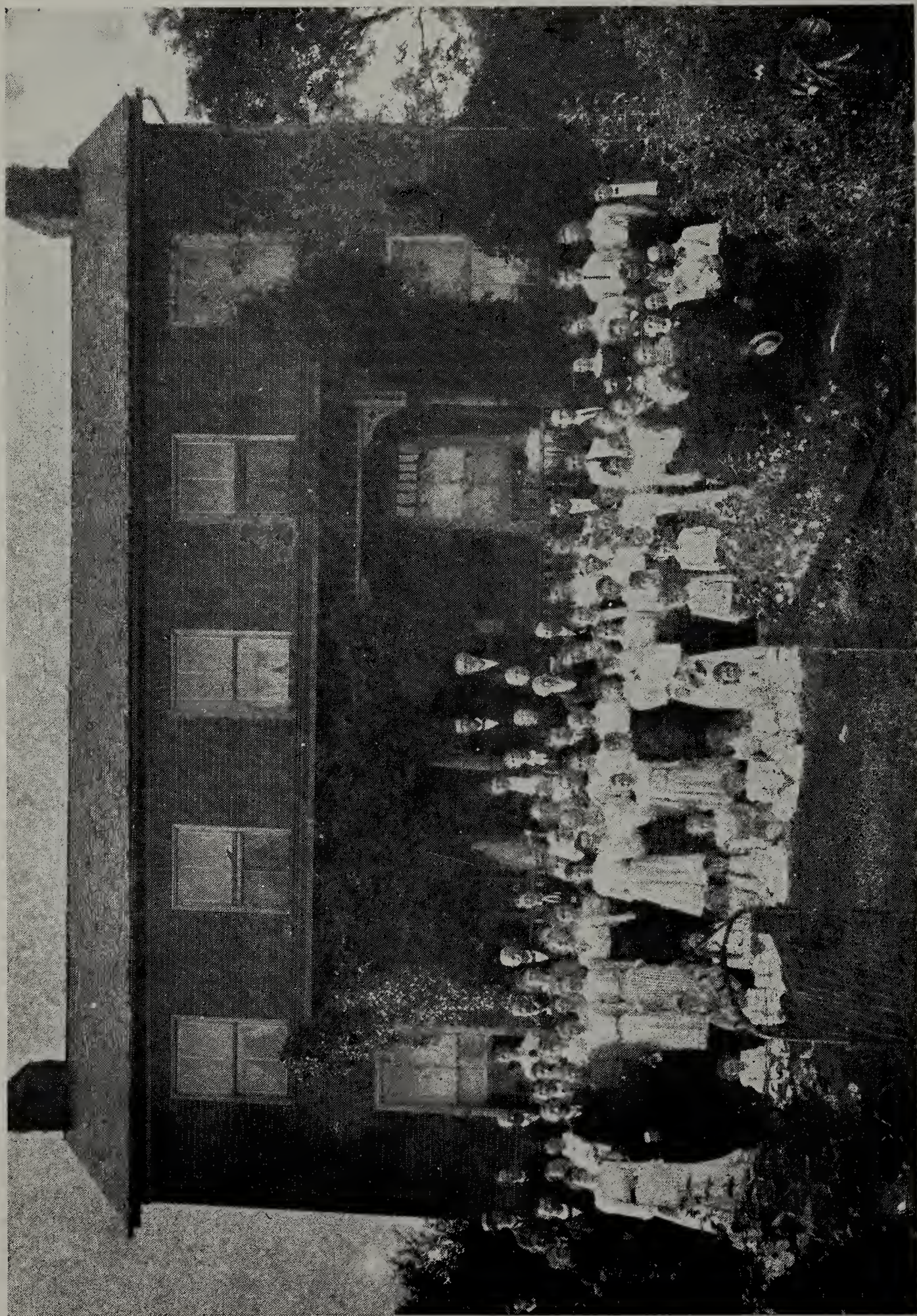
III. LYDIA ANN HART GILSON was born Sept. 29, 1822. She was married to William Gilson, who was a farmer by occupation and many years a justice of the peace for Washington Township, Columbiana County, Ohio. The farm which they owned and on which they resided all their lifetime is located about three miles east of Salineville, Ohio. They had a family of five children. The eldest, John Hart Gilson, served as a soldier in the Civil War as a member of Company "D" of the 126th Ohio Regiment, and lost an eye while in the service. He and his brother, Richard Gilson, during the greater portion of their lives, were partners as shoe dealers in Salineville. Neither brother married. Richard Gilson served in the Civil War in Company A, 143rd Ohio Regiment.

The third child of the family was Calvin Gilson, who was also a soldier in the Civil War and died in the service April 3, 1864, never having been married.

There were two daughters in this family, Phila Gilson, unmarried, and Amy Gilson, who was married to William Rose, formerly of Glasgow, Columbiana County, Ohio. They resided for many years in Indianapolis. Both are now deceased.

IV. LYMAN HART was born July 24, 1824, and died Aug. 8, 1892. He was married Nov. 4, 1851, to Sarah Clark, who was born Oct. 29, 1835. No children were born to this marriage. Soon after their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Hart moved to and resided for many years and died in Richland County, Wisconsin. Lyman Hart was a Union soldier in the Civil War, serving in Co. B. 22nd Reg. Wisconsin Infantry from Sept. 26, 1864 to May 17, 1865.

V. JOHN HART was born March 17, 1826. He was married to Eleanor Marshall of Jefferson County, Ohio. John Hart and his wife, soon after their marriage, moved to Richland County, Wisconsin, where they resided the remainder of their lives, and where they reared a family of eight children. John Hart saw service as a soldier in the Civil War, serving in Co. H. 46th Reg. Wisconsin Infantry from Jan. 21, 1865 to Sept. 27, 1865. He was a farmer by occupation. John Hart's son-in-law, James R. Truesdale, husband of Maria Hart Truesdale, enlisted in Co. E. 2nd Ohio Cavalry at Canfield, Mahoning County, Ohio, Aug. 17, 1861; was taken prisoner, Oct. 1, 1863 at Greenville, Tenn., and was confined in Libby and Belle Island prisons in Virginia. He was paroled March 20, 1864, re-entered the service and was wounded Aug. 17, 1864, in the battle of Winchester. He was discharged Oct. 10, 1864.



John Swift Hart Family Reunion Group at Hart Homstead in 1902

VI. PHILA HART McPHERSON, sixth child of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart, named in honor of her grandmother, Phile Swift Hart, was born Sept. 4, 1827. She was married to Hugh McPherson. They were the parents of eight children, all born on the McPherson farm northeast of Salineville, Ohio.

John Hart McPherson, the eldest son, was a farmer by occupation. When nine years of age, he with his parents and several other members of the family, moved to a farm three miles northwest of Salineville, Ohio, where they first occupied a stone house. Later a new farm home was built. John Hart McPherson attended school at North Branch, otherwise known as Tidball School. His wife, Catherine Cameron McPherson, had been a teacher at this school shortly before their marriage. After marriage, John Hart McPherson and his wife, in 1873, moved to a farm north of Highlandtown, where they resided for years, and where they died. Norman W. McPherson, their son, served in the Spanish American War, one year in Cuba and Porto Rico and two years in the Philippine Islands as a member of Company I, 11th U. S. Infantry. He was discharged from the army in 1902, and thereafter served on the police force at Detroit, Mich., for six years. Silas Charles McPherson was also a farmer and he and his family resided three miles east of Millport, Ohio. Hector Sterling McPherson, the third son of Phila Hart McPherson and Hugh McPherson, was for many years a merchant in Salineville, Ohio, where he and his family resided the greater portion of their lives. There were three daughters in the McPherson family. The eldest, Rebecca Baker, resided south of Salineville in a small village named Haiti. Maggie McPherson, the second daughter, married George Todd, a native of Columbiana County, Ohio, and they resided for many years at Guthrie, Oklahoma. The youngest daughter, Matilda McPherson, became the wife of Samuel Patterson and has resided for many years on the McPherson family homestead near Salineville. She and her sister, Maggie Todd, are the only surviving children of this family. William McPherson, the youngest son, died in early life.

Phila McPherson, the mother, was a very devoted Christian woman and was all her adult life a faithful member of the Salineville Presbyterian Church.

VII. SARAH HART ANDERSON, daughter and seventh child of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart, was born Feb. 10, 1829, on Hazel Run in the southern part of Washington Township, Columbiana County, Ohio. She was married to J. Woods Anderson. They resided all their married lives on a farm located one mile southeast of Highlandtown. Sarah Hart Anderson had musical talent inherited from her mother, Prudence Clark Hart, which she naturally transmitted to her children, all of whom were music lovers. She received her first schooling at a select school held in her own parental home. Her school advantages were so much better than that of her young mother that she set the copies for her mother who learned to write in her adult years. The mother was thus enabled to write letters to each of her seven sons in army service during the period of the Civil War.

Sarah Hart Anderson and her sister, Phila McPherson, as girls, were devout church women. Often on Sabbath mornings they would walk long distances from home to church at Monroeville or Yellow Creek. Sarah Hart Anderson was reserved in manner but strong in her devotion to her family, her church and the temperance cause, in which she was deeply interested. One of her greatest devotions was to her mother, especially in the years of the widowhood of the latter. During this time she sent her daughters, Martha, Rachel and Lydia, alternately, to live in the mother's home to give her care and companionship.

Sarah Hart Anderson and her husband, J. Woods Anderson, worthy, cheerful and devoted life companions, were both spared not only to celebrate together their golden wedding anniversary but their sixtieth wedding anniversary as well. Their separation in this life was brief since both died within a period of six weeks.

Sarah Hart Anderson and J. Woods Anderson, were parents of eight children. The eldest child, John Wesley Anderson, spent his early life on his father's farm. After his marriage to Ella Jamison, he purchased the eastern portion of the home farm, where he built a home, and he and his wife resided there until his death.

Martha Anderson Coburn, was a home maker, first in her father's home and after marriage in her own home. She was also an earnest and effective church worker. Rachel Anderson is a talented musician. She began the study of music while she lived with her grandmother, Prudence Clark Hart in Alliance, Ohio. She studied at Mount Union College and later taught vocal and instrumental music, both in Ohio and Wisconsin.

Lydia Anderson Norris, was a studious person and in early life fitted herself for teaching. She became a public school teacher and followed this profession before her marriage.

James E. Anderson, fifth child of Sarah Hart Anderson, attended high school at Lisbon, Ohio, Oberlin College at Oberlin and Ohio Wesleyan at Delaware, Ohio. At the age of seventeen, he became a teacher in the local rural schools and between terms worked on his father's farm until his marriage. He then purchased the western portion of the home farm near Highlandtown, Ohio, and farmed for twenty-eight years when he retired and took up his residence at Wellsville, Ohio. He was married to Elizabeth Martin who was born and reared near Grant's Hill in Jefferson County. To this couple was born two daughters. The eldest, Olive Isabel Anderson, is a graduate of Wellsville High School and Muskingum College. She was a teacher of English and Latin until her marriage to Alva Dickey, a pharmacist. The other daughter, Frances Irene Anderson, graduated from Muskingum College and on the year of her graduation she was married to James Salsgiver, who is supervising principal of public schools. They have one son.

Virginia Anderson possessed an artistic temperament and became an artist, doing much creditable work in this line.

Laura Anderson fitted herself for teaching. She took courses in both the academic and business departments of Mount Union College,

and became a public school teacher and business assistant. In later years, she maintained the family home for her parents.

VIII. SILAS HART, named in honor of his grandfather, was born Oct. 20, 1830, in Washington Township, Columbiana County, Ohio. He was married to Sarah N. Ewing. He and his wife, with two brothers, Lyman Hart and John Hart, together with a sister, Matilda Hart Smith, moved to Richland County, Wisconsin, a few years before the Civil War and there created a new and separate community of the John Swift Hart family in that county, which family still maintains its relationship in that locality.

Silas Hart, with his two Wisconsin brothers, Lyman and John, as well as four brothers from Ohio, Alexander Hart, Hector Sterling Hart, Benjamin Franklin Hart and William F. Hart, seven in all, were volunteer union soldiers in the Civil War. Most of them served enlistments of three years, and all were fortunate enough to return from service without serious injury.

IX. Alexander Hart, son and ninth child of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart, was born June 18, 1832, in Washington Township, Columbiana County, Ohio. He was married to Margaret McGillivray. There was born to Alexander Hart and his wife, a family of nine children, five sons and four daughters. Three sons survive. The family first resided on Yellow Creek, Columbiana County, Ohio, about two miles southeast of Clark's Mills. Alexander Hart was primarily a farmer by occupation but for many years was the manufacturer of house brooms, using an old log cabin across the highway in which the family first lived as his broom shop. About the year 1883, Alexander Hart purchased and the family moved to the homestead of his father, John Swift Hart, near Yellow Creek and Hazel Run in Washington Township, Columbiana County, about six miles southeast of Salineville, and three miles south of Highlandtown. This homestead is still owned by the children of Alexander Hart, and has been owned by members of four generations of the Hart family for over one hundred and twenty years, or since its original sale to Silas Hart by government patent in 1821.

The eldest adult son of Alexander Hart, John C. Hart, was in his life time the owner of the original Alexander Hart farm on Yellow Creek. He resided in Salineville and was engaged in the grocery business. Pressley and Samuel Hart and their families reside in Salineville. They are both engaged in selling automobiles and in conducting automobile garages. The other son of Alexander Hart, Edson F. Hart, and his family, reside in Salineville where he is a coal operator. The only adult daughter, Kate Hart Cope, until her recent death, resided near Irondale, Ohio.

In the fall of 1863, a great sorrow came to Alexander Hart and his wife in the sudden and tragic death of their three eldest children within a single week, as the result of an epidemic of a malignant type of scarlet fever which swept the neighborhood. Only their then infant son, John C. Hart, then less than one month of age survived.

Alexander Hart was an outstanding citizen and business man of Washington Township. He served several years as township trustee. He was, during his lifetime, a member and official of the United Presbyterian Church of Salineville. He was a member of the 143rd Ohio Veteran Volunteer Infantry with which he rendered military service in the Civil War. He, and his wife are buried in the Highlandtown Cemetery.

X. MATILDA HART SMITH, daughter and tenth child of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart, was born July 12, 1834. She was married to Angus Smith.

They were born and married in Ohio, but shortly before the beginning of the Civil War, they moved to Richland County, Wisconsin, where their family of four daughters and one son was reared and where the surviving members still reside. The members of this family are prominent personages of the community in which they live.

Matilda Hart Smith during her lifetime made frequent visits to Ohio and her daughter, Phila Gillingham, has, likewise, been a frequent visitor in the homes of the Ohio Hart and Smith families.

XI. ANSON L. B. HART, eleventh child of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart, was born April 2, 1836, and died March 21, 1881. When a young man about twenty years of age, while engaged in mining coal, a premature explosion of powder used in blasting down the coal destroyed one of his eyes. Because of that fact, he was disqualified from entering the army during the Civil War, although he sought to volunteer for service. He was married on Oct. 6, 1870, to Mary Baxter, who survived him but who is now deceased. They had no children. They are buried in the Lisbon, Ohio, cemetery.

XII. ALMYRA HART SMITH, twelfth child of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart, was born Jan. 10, 1838. She was married to John Smith of direct Scotch descent. She and her husband owned a farm on Little Yellow Creek, about three miles east of Highlandtown, upon which they resided all their married lives. They were the parents of seven children, two of whom are still living.

The second child, Prudence Smith Rose, became the wife of Hugh Rose, who is now deceased. She still resides on a farm one mile south of Highlandtown.

The third child was John Hammond Smith, now deceased. He was of a mechanical turn of mind and was interested in mechanics and machinery, in which field he invented some useful mechanical improvements. Later he studied mechanical engineering and became a member of the Engineering Faculty of the University of Pittsburgh, which position he held at the time of his death. He was married first to Ann Deborah Coleman of Mt. Gilead, Ohio, and to them were born two daughters, Anna Virginia Smith and Lillian Isabella Smith. He was married second to Gertrude Marion Smith and third to Helen Dalrymple, who still survives. To this third marriage were born two children. They reside in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Frank Smith, the sixth child of Almyra Hart Smith and John

Smith, resides on the Smith homestead. Frank Smith is a fine mechanic and has been employed most of his life in the Wellsville, Ohio, shops.

XIV. HECTOR STERLING HART, fourteenth child of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart, was born Jan. 17, 1842, and died Jan. 26, 1898. He was married to Rhoda Adams, who was born June 24, 1842, and who died Nov. 10, 1926. They owned a farm on Brush Creek near Monroeville, Jefferson County, Ohio, upon which they resided for many years. Hector Sterling Hart was a lover of music and taught vocal music for many years. He was a farmer by occupation. He was a member of Company D of the 126th Ohio Regiment in the Civil War, and at one time during the service he was sent to a Philadelphia hospital because of a serious illness. While there, his mother, Prudence Clark Hart, made the trip to Philadelphia and remained with him until he recovered. He returned to the service where he remained until the close of the war. He and his wife are buried in Highlandtown Cemetery.

XV. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN HART, fifteenth child of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart, was born Sept. 17, 1843. He was married to Ariel S. Dreghorn. The facts of his life will be given more completely in a later chapter of this history. (See Chapter XVII.)

Benjamin Franklin Hart and wife were the parents of ten children, hereinafter named, all born in a log cabin on the farm purchased from Alexander Smith by John Swift Hart and owned by him until purchased from his estate by his son, Benjamin Franklin Hart in 1878. This farm is located on Hazel Run, a branch of Yellow Creek, about two and a half miles south of Highlandtown. The eldest son, William Lincoln Hart, was a teacher in the district schools of Washington, Madison and Butler Townships, Columbiana County, Ohio, and Paris Township in Stark County, Ohio. He is a graduate of Mount Union College with degrees of A.B. and LL.D., and is now a trustee of that institution. He did newspaper work on the Alliance Daily Review for almost three years, leaving this work in 1895 to enter University of Michigan Law School, from which he graduated with the degree of LL.B. in 1897. He was admitted to the Ohio Bar in June, 1897, and practiced law at Alliance, Ohio, for forty years. He was elected in 1934 to a short term as Judge of the Supreme Court of Ohio, and in 1938 he was elected to and is now serving a full term of six years on that court, having been elected to that office by a state plurality of over one hundred and seventy-six thousand votes. He is a member of the Society of Mayflower Descendants, No. 6700, and is counsellor of the Ohio Society of Mayflower Descendants.

On Sept. 15, 1897, he was married to Ida B. Caskey of Carroll County, Ohio. He and his wife were college mates at Mount Union College. Their home is at Alliance, Ohio. They have two sons, both lawyers. Ian Bruce Hart, a graduate of Mt. Union College and Harvard Law School, is engaged in the practice of law at Canton, Ohio, while William L. Hart, Jr., a graduate of Mount Union College and Western Reserve Law School, is engaged in the practice of law at Alliance, Ohio.

A third child, Ruth Ann Hart, was born in 1906 and lived but a single day.

John Dreghorn Hart was a school teacher in Columbiana County, Ohio, and attended Scio and Mount Union Colleges. He was engaged for two years in newspaper editorial work at Alliance, Ohio, and from 1904 to 1910, managed a Cuban plantation near Camaguey, Cuba. Returning to the United States, he followed the profession of a landscape engineer at Cleveland, Ohio, until the date of his death. He was married Nov. 6, 1902 to Della M. Lotz, who survives him. He died July 17, 1932.

Winnifred Philena Hart taught school in Washington and Yellow Creek and Salem Townships in Columbiana County, Ohio, and attended Mount Union College during portions of the year when her school was not in session. On New Year's Day, 1903, she was married to Frank Bricker, who survives her. Their home was located on the Salem-New Lisbon Road, four miles north of Lisbon. She died Dec. 9, 1937.

Charles G. Hart, is a farmer by profession and lived in early life in Washington Township, Columbiana County. Later he purchased a farm south of Leetonia, where he and his family have since resided. He is a lover of music and he, himself, is blessed with a fine tenor voice. He was elected and has been re-elected as township trustee of Salem Township in Columbiana County. On Sept. 8, 1898, he was married to Orpha Adams. They have three daughters, Marjory, Helen and Irene.

Margaret Matilda Hart has been a school teacher all her active life. She taught in the Alliance public schools for over twenty-five years, retiring three years ago. She and her sister, Bertha Hart, reside at Lisbon, Ohio, spending their winters at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Sarah E. Hart was a nurse by profession and greatly enjoyed her work because of the field of service which it presented. She was a great lover of music and literature. She died Dec. 9, 1936.

Harriet Almira Hart was all her adult life, a typical farmer's wife, interested in all the improved methods of farming and dairying. She was married Dec. 5, 1907, to George B. Clark of Malvern, Ohio. After their marriage they lived upon and operated farms at Oneida, Cortland and Lisbon, Ohio. She died Nov. 13, 1940. Her husband, George B. Clark, survives her.

Fred Alexander Garfield Hart, in early life, was a farmer by profession but later became a street railway conductor on the Alliance-Mahoning Valley Railway operating between Alliance and Warren, Ohio. For the past fifteen years he has been in the United States postal service at Ravenna, Ohio, where he and his family now reside. He was married June 15, 1915, to Myrtle Rankin. They have a family of three children. The youngest son, Frederick Francis Hart, is now in the U. S. Army.

Bertha Ariel Hart has been a teacher of piano music and a home maker. She lives with her sister, Margaret, at Lisbon, Ohio, and spends the winters with her sister Margaret at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Frank Raymond Hart, the youngest child of Benjamin Franklin Hart and Ariel Dreghorn Hart, is a farmer by profession, residing on a

farm which he owns south of Salem, Ohio. On March 18, 1920, he was married to Helen Armstrong of Lisbon, Ohio. They have one son, Blaine Franklin Hart, who is a graduate of Salem, Ohio, High School and has been employed in a manufacturing establishment at that place. He is now in the U. S. Army.

XVII. WILLIAM FARMER HART, the seventeenth child of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart, was born at the Hart homestead in Washington Township, March 7, 1843. He enlisted in the army and served in the Vicksburgh Campaign of the Civil War, along with his brother, Benjamin Franklin Hart, in the 26th Ohio Battery. Soon after the war, he and his widowed mother, Prudence Clark Hart, moved to Alliance, Ohio, where William attended and graduated from Alliance College. After graduation, he became the editor of the Alliance Standard, now the Alliance Daily Review, and followed this work for about three years. In the meantime, he studied law with Attorney William C. Pippit and was admitted to the Ohio Bar. He first engaged in the practice of law at Alliance, Ohio. In connection with such practice, he became interested with his cousin Jehu B. Milner, in the promotion and sale of a couple of real estate allotments which were and are known as J. B. Milner's Additions to the city of Alliance. Later, he practiced law at Denver, Colorado. He was never married. Due to failing health, he made his home in his last years at the Dayton Soldiers Home, where he died Jan. 1, 1920.

D. JOHN SWIFT HART—FAMILY CHART

John Swift Hart, son and fourth child of Silas Hart and Phile Swift Hart, was born at Palmyra, N. Y., March 11, 1793, and died near Salineville, Ohio, November 1, 1863; married March 4, 1819, to Prudence Clark Hart who was born March 3, 1803 and who died March 24, 1877.

I. PHILENA HART was born Dec. 13, 1819 and lived less than four months. She died April 3, 1820.

II. MYRON HART was born Feb. 1, 1821, and died April 3, 1840, unmarried.

III. LYDIA ANN HART GILSON, born Sept. 29, 1822; died Oct. 23, 1858; married Oct. 16, 1840, to William Gilson, who died June 19, 1888.

1. John H. Gilson, born Sept. 9, 1841, died March 24, 1916, Salineville, Ohio.

2. Richard Gilson, born Aug. 28, 1843, died Jan. 9, 1929, Salineville, Ohio.

3. Calvin Gilson, born March 6, 1846, died April 3, 1864.

4. Phila Gilson, born Jan. 29, 1852, died Jan. 4, 1914, Salineville, Ohio.

5. Amy Gilson Rose, born May 1, 1855, Salineville, Ohio; died July 1, 1917, Indianapolis, Indiana; married Jan. 1, 1880, to William Rose, who was born Sept. 14, 1848, Madison Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, and who died Sept. 9, 1927, in Madison Township, Columbiana County, Ohio.

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(a) Wendell Floyd Rose, born Oct. 31, 1880, Madison Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, died Aug. 26, 1908, Indianapolis, Indiana.

(b) William Gilson Rose, born Dec. 12, 1887, Indianapolis, Indiana. Residence, R. D. 1, Kensington, Ohio.

(c) Mary Georgiana Rose Lee, born April 14, 1891, Indianapolis, Indiana, died April 5, 1932, Harlem Springs, Ohio; married May 26, 1921, to Thomas R. Lee.

(aa) Doris Rose Lee, born Dec. 29, 1922, Harlem Springs, Ohio.

(bb) Frances Mary Lee, born July 15, 1925, Harlem Springs, Ohio; died April 5, 1932.

(cc) Los Ann Lee, born December 10, 1931, Harlem Springs, Ohio.

IV. LYMAN HART, born July 24, 1824; died Aug. 8, 1892; married Nov. 4, 1851, to Sarah Clark who was born Oct. 29, 1835.

V. JOHN HART, the fifth child of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart, was born near Salineville, Ohio, March 17, 1826; died at Gillingham, Wis., April 14, 1876; married Eleanor Marshall, who was born July 20, 1874, and died April 13, 1903.

1. Lydia Ann Hart, born Jan. 25, 1845; died July 10, 1864.

2. Maria Hart Truesdale, born Jan. 4, 1847, died Dec. 31, 1908; married Nov. 14, 1867, to James R. Truesdale, who was born in Ohio, Feb. 18, 1845, and died March 18, 1917, in Florida.

(a) Georgie Alice Truesdale Hunter, born Dec. 21, 1868; died May 18, 1926; married July 3, 1888, to James Hunter, who was born Feb. 14, 1860, and who died Aug. 17, 1928, at Gillingham, Wisconsin.

(aa) Anna Hunter Turnipseed, born March 27, 1890; married June 13, 1908, to Harry Turnipseed who was born Sept. 25, 1887. Residence, Gillingham, Wisconsin.

(aaa) Francis Turnipseed, born May 24, 1909, died May 24, 1909.

(bbb) Myron Turnipseed, born Dec. 7, 1910, married Nov. 26, 1929, to Veva Deckert, who was born Dec. 6, 1908. Residence, Gillingham, Wis.

(aaaa) Jean Turnipseed, born Feb. 26, 1934.

(ccc) Gerald Turnipseed, born Dec. 30, 1915; married Oct. 26, 1940, to Julia Machovec, who was born June 16, 1916. Residence, Yuba, Wis.

(ddd) Samuel Turnipseed, born March 23, 1918. Residence, Gillingham, Wis.

(eee) James Hunter Turnipseed, born Sept. 25, 1925. Residence, Gillingham, Wis.

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(bb) Margery Hunter Albaugh, born Nov. 25, 1891, died Dec. 7, 1915; married Nov. 17, 1915, to Clem Allbaugh. Residence, Rockbridge, Wis.

(cc) Clark Hunter, born Jan. 15, 1895; married March 12, 1914, to Flora Sands, who was born March 21, 1893. Residence, Marengo, Ill.

(aaa) Gladys Hunter Nevel, born Dec. 29, 1914; married Jan. 12, 1932, to Ray Nevel. Residence, Marengo, Ill.

(aaaa) Wilda Nevel, born Dec. 21, 1932.

(bbbbb) Dale Nevel, born Aug. 12, 1934.

(cccc) Darlene Nevel, born Oct. 7, 1936.

(bbb) William Hunter, born Dec. 28, 1916. In Army training in Illinois.

(ccc) Adeline Hunter, born April 18, 1925. Residence, Marengo, Ill.

(dd) Leon Hunter, born May 27, 1897; married Aug. 17, 1915, to Mabel Summers, who was born Aug. 21, 1896. Residence, Viola, Wis.

(aaa) Phyllis Hunter Perry, born April 4, 1921; married July 18, 1935, to Lester Perry. Residence, Viola, Wis.

(aaaa) Charles Perry, born Nov. 2, 1939; died Feb. 23, 1940.

(bbb) Jean Hunter, born June 3, 1923. Residence, Chicago, Ill.

(ccc) Leon Hunter, Jr., born March 2, 1925. Army training in Illinois.

(ddd) John Orvis Hunter, born Sept. 10, 1926. Residence, Viola, Wis.

(eee) Loraine Hunter, born March 14, 1930. Residence, Viola, Wis.

(fff) Herbert Clark Hunter, born April 10, 1932. Residence, Viola, Wis.

(ee) John Hunter, born Aug. 7, 1899; died Aug. 14, 1932, on the Hawaiian Islands, Company B, 21st Infantry.

(ff) Hazel Hunter Miller, born Aug. 24, 1902; married Sept. 28, 1928, to Kenneth Miller. Residence, Livingston, Wis.

(aaa) Myron L. Miller, born April 17, 1930; died April 18, 1940.

(gg) Florence Hunter Hockings, born June 14, 1905;

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married Aug. 31, 1925, to George Hockings, born June 4, 1902. Residence, Viola, Wis.

(aaa) Marjorie Hockings, born Oct. 18, 1926. Residence, Viola, Wis.

(bbb) Martha Jean Hockings, born March 23, 1928. Residence, Viola, Wis.

(ccc) Lavann Hockings, born March 10, 1930. Residence, Viola, Wis.

(ddd) Alice Hockins, born May 3, 1932 }
 (eee) Avis Hockings, born May 3, 1932 } twins
 Residence, Viola, Wis.

(fff) Betty Hockings, born March 12, 1936. Residence, Viola, Wis.

(hh) Francis Hunter, born June 3, 1909; married July 23, 1929, to Margie Oleson, who was born March 3, 1912; died June 10, 1940. Residence, Boaz, Wis.

(aaa) Alice Hunter, born Nov. 21, 1934. Residence, Boaz, Wis.

(bbb) Arles Eugene Hunter, born Oct. 9, 1936. Residence, Boaz, Wis.

(ccc) June Annette Hunter, born June 1, 1938. Residence, Boaz, Wis.

(b) Tellus Truesdale, born April 15, 1871; married April 4, 1900, to Sarah Edith Janney, who was born Dec. 12, 1877, and died Feb. 26, 1935. Residence, R. D. 2, Richland Center, Wis.

(aa) Wylma Bernadine Truesdale, born Feb. 28, 1902. Home Management Supervisor, R. D. 2, Richland Center, Wis.

(bb) Foster Earl Truesdale, born Sept. 12, 1904. Farmer. Married Dec. 2, 1927, to Thelma Moser, who was born April 14, 1908.

(aaa) Milton Earl Truesdale, born Feb. 5, 1929.

(bbb) Martin Moser Truesdale, born May 3, 1931.

(ccc) Edith Mae Truesdale, born Oct. 11, 1937.

(cc) Esther Lillian Truesdale Buran, born Aug. 15, 1907; married June 21, 1929, to S. Frederick Buran, who was born Feb. 20, 1905. Residence, 648 State Street, Madison, Wis.

(aaa) Philip Frederick Buran, born May 4, 1930.

(dd) Amy Norman Truesdale, born July 15, 1915. Teacher.

(c) Amy Ellen Truesdale Gillingham, born Aug. 12, 1873;

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died July 3, 1942; married May 2, 1895, to Harley Gillingham, who was born Feb. 14, 1873, and who died Sept. 3, 1940.

(aa) Helen M. Gillingham Stewart, born Aug. 13, 1896; married Oct. 10, 1917, to Harold Stewart. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aaa) Harold Gillingham Stewart, born Aug. 5, 1918; married Aug. 11, 1940, to Janice Smith.

(aaaa) Susan Signe Stewart, born Feb. 15, 1942.

(bbb) Virgil Allen Stewart, born Sept. 17, 1922. Participated in defense of Pearl Harbor, Dec. 7, 1941.

(ccc) Amy Grace Stewart, born Oct. 15, 1928.

(bb) James Thomas Gillingham, born June 18, 1898; married May 6, 1921, to Helen Goldberg. Residence, 41 Shepherd Place, Arlington, New Jersey.

(cc) Ida Ariel Gillingham Moon, born Feb. 25, 1900; married Oct. 29, 1919, to Earl Moon. Residence, 518 Maple Avenue, Willmette, Ill.

(aaa) Charles Gillingham Moon, born Oct. 11, 1920. Graduated, Perdue University, June, 1942.

(bbb) Benjamin Harley Moon, born Oct. 11, 1922.

(ccc) Mary Lou Moon, born April 6, 1927.

(dd) Eleanor E. Gillingham Starr, born Dec. 20, 1901; married May 17, 1925, to Kenneth Starr. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aaa) Robert Allen Starr, born Nov. 9, 1926.

(bbb) Charles Roger Starr, born July 3, 1931.

(ccc) Helen Jeannette Starr, born Jan. 17, 1933.

(ee) Grace Caroline Gillingham Beatty, born Sept. 22, 1904; married Jan. 22, 1926, to Theron Beatty. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aaa) Marilyn M. Beatty, born March 8, 1927.

(bbb) Ruth Ann Beatty, born March 22, 1930.

(ccc) Sandra Suzanna Beatty, born Oct. 6, 1932.

(ff) Infant son born Feb. 7, 1907, died 1907.

(gg) Ruth Virginia Gillingham Huffman, born Oct. 27, 1909; married Dec. 16, 1927, to Gifford Huffman. Residence, Lancaster, Wis.

(aaa) James Allen Huffman, born March 26, 1932.

(bbb) Jerry Wayne Huffman, born Feb. 16, 1934.

(cc) Myrna Lois Huffman, born Jan. 24, 1936.

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(hh) Phyllis E. Gillingham Hansen, born March 29, 1912; married June 5, 1934, to Martin Hansen. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aaa) Frederic Gillingham Hansen, born June 15, 1935.

(bbb) Martha Diane Hansen, born June 22, 1937.

(d) Julian Truesdale, born Dec. 6, 1875; married Dec. 20, 1899, to Berkie Marshall. Julian Truesdale died Jan. 5, 1901. Berkie Marshall Truesdale was born Dec. 25, 1877. Residence, R. D., Gillingham, Wis.

(aa) Julia Helen Truesdale Gillingham, born Dec. 22, 1900; married March 22, 1922, to Theron Gillingham, son of Eugene Gillingham. Residence, R. D., Gillingham, Wis.

(aaa) Julian Wendell Gillingham, born Nov. 29, 1923. High School student.

(bbb) Willis Clark Gillingham, born Oct. 1, 1925.

(ccc) Sterling Hart Gillingham, born Oct. 29, 1928.

(ddd) Ruth Ann Gillingham, born April 23, 1940.

(e) Olive Caroline Truesdale Jones, born Jan. 26, 1878; married Dec. 14, 1899, to Richard Jones, who was born Aug. 30, 1873.

NOTE: Caroline Truesdale Jones and Richard Jones were the foster parents of two children, (1) Floyd Sterling Gillingham, a nephew of Caroline Jones, who married Myra Mae Bender. (See children of Mary Ethel Truesdale Gillingham), and (2), Alma Mae Jones, niece of Richard Jones, adopted by Richard and Caroline Jones, and married to Gordon Janecek.

(f) Mary Ethel Truesdale Gillingham, born April 9, 1880; married Feb. 14, 1906, to Thomas Harvey Gillingham. Residence, Janesville, Wis.

(aa) Harriette Eleanor Gillingham McAhren, born Jan. 5, 1907; married Dec. 27, 1929, to George Harvey McAhren.

NOTE: Harriette Eleanor Gillingham McAhren and George Harvey McAhren have two adopted sons, (1) James Barrying McAhren, born Oct. 31, 1936, and Vaun Lee McAhren, born June 10, 1939.

(bb) Floyd Sterling Gillingham, born June 14, 1909; married June 21, 1927, to Myra Mae Bender. Residence, R. F. D. 1, Viola, Wis.

(aaa) Mavis Mae Gillingham, born Dec. 5, 1927.

(bbb) Robert Harvey Gillingham, born May 21, 1929.

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(ccc) Mary Gertrude Gillingham, born Aug. 21, 1931.

(ddd) Richard Roland Gillingham, born June 2, 1934.

(eee) Carroll Hart Gillingham, born April 15, 1940.

(cc) Lloyd Richard Gillingham, born Dec. 11, 1911; married July 16, 1934, to Juanita Lilly. Residence, 407 E. Forrest Hill Ave., Peoria, Ill.

(aaa) Barbara Jean Gillingham, born March 30, 1936.

(bbb) William Harvey Gillingham, born Jan. 5, 1941.

(g) Thomas Sterling Truesdale, born Oct. 15, 1882; married Dec. 25, 1910, to Katie Cooper, who died Aug. 20, 1926. Merchant. Residence, Bloom City, Wis.

(aa) Keith Sterling Truesdale, born May 12, 1914; married June 6, 1940, to Elvesa Pease. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(bb) Gyneth Truesdale Rinehart, born Jan. 5, 1919; married Aug. 9, 1939, to Halsey Rinehart. Residence, Rockbridge, Wis.

(aaa) Mary K. Rinehart, born June 7, 1940.

NOTE: Thomas Sterling Truesdale, married second, Aug. 28, 1927, to Rena Cooper. Their children:

(cc) Ariel June Truesdale, born June 5, 1929.

(h) John Hart Truesdale, born Dec. 30, 1884; married June 24, 1909, to Nellie Gillingham, who was born July 8, 1887. Minister. Residence, Gillingham, Wis.

(aa) William James Truesdale, born April 1, 1910; married June 2, 1934, to Frances Ewing, who was born Nov. 14, 1913. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aaa) Frances Annette Truesdale, born April 6, 1935.

(bbb) William John Truesdale, born Oct. 6, 1938.

(bb) Vernon Hart Truesdale, born Dec. 1, 1915; married June 3, 1938, to Ruth Keiser. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aaa) Donald Hart Truesdale, born July 23, 1939.

(cc) Marion Gillingham Truesdale, born Nov. 3, 1919. Address, Central College, Indianapolis, Indiana, married to Olive

(aaa) Junita Quyanne Truesdale, born March 12, 1942.

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(dd) Sadie Roena Truesdale, born Aug. 9, 1924. High school student. Address, Richland Center, Wis.

(i) Harrison M. Truesdale, born Sept. 24, 1888; married June 21, 1916, to Zola Harper. Residence, Fairfield, Iowa.

(j) Harvey Elmer Truesdale, born April 5, 1890; died Nov. 16, 1891.

3. James M. Hart, born in Ohio, Feb. 9, 1849; died June 10, 1850, in Ohio.

4. Thomas Marshall Hart, born in Ohio, April 12, 1851; married July 31, 1875, to Abbie Draper, who was born May 1, 1852, and who died June 17, 1882. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(a) Myra Hart Toms, born April 8, 1877; married Oct. 28, 1903, to Henry Toms, who was born Jan. 3, 1871. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aa) Ada Carolyn Toms, born Sept. 14, 1904. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(bb) Helen Ariel Toms, born Feb. 5, 1912. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(cc) Henry Hart Toms, born Feb. 5, 1912; died April 12, 1935.

(b) Sterling Hart, born July 7, 1881, died Jan. 7, 1882.

NOTE: Thomas Hart was married, second, Oct. 30, 1883, to Lyda Mooney, born Nov. 19, 1860. Residence, Richland Center, Wis. Their children:

(c) Frank Hart, born Aug. 25, 1884, died Aug. 1937; married in 1914 to Code Merrit. Residence, Los Angeles, Cal.

(d) Bernard Hart, born Dec. 1, 1885; married July 5, 1922, to Lena Pokorney, who was born Aug. 21, 1891. Bernard Hart died May 10, 1935. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aa) Margaret Ruth Hart, born Feb. 18, 1925. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(e) Ariel Hart Strang, born June 28, 1887; married July 12, 1916, to Bert Strang, who was born Dec. 7, 1876, and died May 29, 1939. Residence, 255 Sheldon St., Richland Center, Wisconsin.

(aa) Tom Hart Strang, born April 10, 1917. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

5. Prudence Hart, born in Wisconsin, Oct. 7, 1853, died Nov. 25, 1881.

6. Millard Filmore Hart, born in Wisconsin, July 15, 1856; died Dec. 5, 1927; married Nov. 2, 1878, to Olive Rebecca Truesdale, who was born June 15, 1855, and who died Dec. 21, 1920.

(a) Julian G. Hart, born Oct. 7, 1879; married April 26, 1911,

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to Helen Stephens, who was born April 30, 1885. Julian G. Hart is manager of the North Shore Gas Company, Waukegan, Illinois. Residence, 1206 North Avenue, Waukegan, Ill.

(aa) Helen Carolyn Hart Doolittle, born Aug. 31, 1915; married April 20, 1940, to Avery Doolittle, who was born Nov. 17, 1915. Avery Doolittle is salesman for the Zappon Brevolite Company. Residence, 330 Lockwood Avenue, Webster Grove, Missouri.

NOTE: Millard Filmore Hart was married second to Ella N. Turnipseed Coulter on June 23, 1926.

7. Caroline G. Hart Dunlap, born July 9, 1860, died 1924; married to Heber N. Dunlap in 1921.

8. Georgia Hart Doudna, born Sept. 20, 1862; died Jan. 22, 1926; married Oct. 29, 1882, to Frank Doudna, who was born July 6, 1856, and who died April 5, 1896.

(a) Leon Doudna, born Aug. 26, 1883, died April, 1933; married Evangeline Gillingham, who was born Nov. 1879. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aa) Eleanor Hart Doudna Dillon, born May 29, 1905, married May, 1922, to Lawrence Dillon. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aaa) Mary Catherine Dillon, born May 2, 1923.

(bbb) Eleanor Grace Dillon, born Feb. 26, 1925.

(ccc) Dorothy June Dillon, born June 16, 1926.

(bb) Calvin Thomas Doudna, M.D., born Feb. 21, 1907; married to Helen Kolsta, a nurse in a Madison Hospital. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(cc) George Marshall Doudna, born April 4, 1910. Farmer. Resides on the John Hart farm, Gillingham, Wis.

(dd) Irvin James Doudna, born Oct. 24, 1913; married to Lois Humphries. Irvin is a student at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin. Residence, Madison, Wis.

(ee) Carolyn Doudna Deever, born Oct. 28, 1915; married Maurice Deever, who was born Nov. 25, 1914.

(aaa) Mary Hart Deever, born March 21, 1940.

(ff) Mary Lou Doudna, born June 7, 1920. Stenographer for District Attorney Hanson. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(b) Thomas Doudna, born Sept. 1, 1894, died May 7, 1898.

VI. PHILA HART McPHERSON, born Sept. 4, 1827, died March 23, 1904; married Oct. 14, 1845, to Hugh McPherson, who was born Aug. 1822, and who died at Salineville, Ohio.

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1. Margerie Prudence McPherson, born July 20, 1849; died Dec. 22, 1849. Buried in Bethel Cemetery.
2. Rebecca McPherson Baker, born Feb. 18, 1851, died June 16, 1913; married May 17, 1877, to George Baker, who was born June 10, 1846.
 - (a) Phila J. Baker Hogue Howell, born Sept. 7, 1879; married Aug. 22, 1900, to William B. Hogue, who was born July 14, 1875, and who died May 28, 1923; married second to H. O. Howell, Dec. 17, 1936, R. F. D. 1, Salineville, Ohio.
 - (aa) Walter Earl Hogue, born March 25, 1902, married Aug. 22, 1929, to Mildred McKenzie, who was born July 27, 1911. Residence, R. D. 1, Salineville, Ohio.
 - (aaa) Edward Hogue, born July 30, 1933.
 - (bbb) Virginia Hogue, born March 27, 1935.
 - (ccc) Evelyn Hogue, born Oct. 23, 1937.
 - (bb) Hazel May Hogue Edwards, born Feb. 2, 1905, married June 14, 1924, to Eugene E. Edwards, who was born June 8, 1903. Residence, R. D. 1, Salineville, Ohio.
 - (aaa) Ray Edwards, born June 9, 1925.
 - (bbb) Robert Edwards, born June 24, 1931.
 - (cc) Ross Dean Hogue, born May 4, 1907, married Jan. 18, 1928, to Hazel Gerren, who was born Nov. 23, 1908. Residence, R. D. 1, Salineville, O.
 - (aaa) Norma Hogue, born Dec. 18, 1932. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.
 - (bbb) Vivian Hogue, born May 29, 1934, Salineville, Ohio.
 - (dd) Wade Calvin Hogue, born Nov. 9, 1913; married May, 1935, to Marie Shaffer, who was born Sept. 30, 1917. Residence, Morningside Drive, Hubbard, Ohio.
 - (aaa) Wade Hogue, Jr., born May 21, 1938. Residence, Hubbard, Ohio.
 - (b) A. Clinton Baker, born Dec. 20, 1885; married May 28, 1914, to Ola E. Crawford, who was born March 12, 1878. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.
 - (aa) Hugh E. Baker, born Feb. 7, 1916. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.
 - (bb) Vernon V. Baker, born June 5, 1917; died March 16, 1918.- 3. John Hart McPherson, born April 1, 1854; died in Liverpool Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, July 4, 1927; married March 20, 1873, to Catherine Remy Camern, who was born at Glasgow, Yellow Creek Township, Aug. 3, 1852, and who died Aug. 27, 1910.

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(a) Laura Edna McPherson Whittaker, born July 9, 1874; married Feb. 8, 1898, to Fred Whittaker, who was born in 1870. Residence, R. D. 2, Wellsville, Ohio.

(b) Hugh Summer McPherson, born Sept. 25, 1876; married June 17, 1918, to Martha A. Frail, who was born at Pine Bluff, Ark., March 31, 1883. Residence, R. D. 2, Wellsville, Ohio.

(c) Norman W. McPherson, born Oct. 15, 1877; died Oct. 14, 1924, at Detroit, Mich.; married June, 1917, to Catherine Burns who was born in Ireland, July, 1886. Residence, 3858 Lovett Avenue, Detroit, Mich.

(d) Florence Cameron McPherson West, born Nov. 21, 1881; married Jan. 27, 1913, to Archie Carl West, who was born in Tiltonsville, Ohio, Jan. 1, 1885. Member Society of Mayflower Descendants, No. 13677. Residence, R. D. 2, Wellsville, O.

4. Silas Charles McPherson, born Aug. 26, 1857, at Salineville, Ohio; died Feb. 6, 1934, at Millport, Ohio; married Nov. 13, 1879, to Elizabeth Ellen McQuoid, who was born at Millport, Aug. 8, 1861, and who died at Lisbon, Ohio, Aug. 5, 1938.

(a) Thomas Newton McPherson, born at Wellsville, Ohio, April 24, 1882; married Dec. 21, 1905, to Celia Elizabeth Todd. Residence, R. D., Salineville, Ohio.

(aa) Howard Alton McPherson, born at Salineville, Ohio, April 1, 1909; married April 3, 1934, to Mabel Anna Burbeck.

(aaa) Russell Howard McPherson, born Aug. 3, 1935.

(bbb) Robert Floyd McPherson, born July 11, 1942.

(bb) Robert Kyle McPherson, born at Salineville, Ohio, July 18, 1913; married Oct. 1, 1935, to Wilma Blanche Bangor.

(aaa) Delores Jean McPherson, born Aug. 18, 1937.

(cc) Virginia Lucille McPherson Huggins, born March 1, 1919, Salineville, Ohio; married June 15, 1940, to Leland Huggins.

(aaa) Sherrill Joyce Huggins, born March 15, 1942.

(b) Olive May McPherson Patterson, born July 21, 1883; died Dec. 1, 1938; married May 16, 1923, to Rev. Leonard Franklin Patterson. Residence, Fresno, Ohio.

(c) Robert Merle McPherson, born Millport, Ohio, Aug. 20, 1885; married Sept. 29, 1909, to Lillie May Laughlin. Residence R. D. 5, Lisbon, Ohio.

(aa) Charles Homer McPherson, born Millport, Ohio, Feb. 7, 1913; married June 17, 1935, to Grace Eleanor Crook.

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(aaa) Frederick Richard McPherson, born April 30, 1938.

(bbb) Carl Lynn McPherson, born June 2, 1942.

(bb) Kathryn Elizabeth McPherson, born Nov. 8, 1916.
Residence, Leetonia, Ohio.

(d) Nellie Evans McPherson Todd, born at Millport, Ohio, May 2, 1887; married Oct. 18, 1911, to Clyde Raymond Todd.
Residence, R. D., Lisbon, Ohio.

(e) Edith Bell McPherson Ewing, born at Millport, Ohio, June 18, 1889; married June 18, 1913, to Roy Burbick Ewing.
Residence, R. D., 5, Lisbon, Ohio.

(aa) Robert W. Ewing, born Jan. 17, 1916, Lisbon, O.;
married Oct. 16, 1940, to Pearl Grace Bailey.

(aaa) Judith Ann Ewing, born Aug. 2, 1941.

(bb) Marjorie E. Ewing, born at Lisbon, Ohio, July 4, 1919; married Oct. 8, 1941, to John Yaggi, Jr. Residence, R. D., Alliance, Ohio.

(cc) John C. Ewing, born Lisbon, Ohio, Nov. 21, 1921.

(dd) James W. Ewing, born at Lisbon, Ohio, March 10 1924.

(f) Luella Smith McPherson Scott, born at Millport, Ohio, June 29, 1891; died Feb. 22, 1940; married March 21, 1918, to Frank Earl Scott. Residence, West Lincoln Way, Lisbon, Ohio.

(aa) Jean Elizabeth Scott, born at Wellsville, Ohio, Aug. 23, 1921.

(g) Mary Viola McPherson Frantz, born at Millport, Ohio, Nov. 11, 1893; married June 6, 1918, to Guy L. Frantz. Residence, R. D. 5, Lisbon, Ohio.

(aa) Janet Camilla Frantz, born at Lisbon, Ohio, Feb. 26, 1919.

(bb) Mary Geraldine Frantz, born at Lisbon, Ohio, May 13, 1924.

(h) Hugh McPherson, born at Millport, Ohio, Jan. 10, 1896; married June 11, 1919, to Helen Agnes Clark. Residence, R. D. 2, Salem, Ohio.

(aa) Betty Ann McPherson, born at Lisbon, Ohio, Feb. 22, 1924.

(bb) Richard Clark McPherson, born at Lisbon, Ohio, Aug. 15, 1926.

(i) Julia Ann McPherson Hull, born at Millport, Ohio, Feb. 25, 1898; married Dec. 30, 1919, to Floyd McQuilkin Hull.
Residence, R. D., Kensington, Ohio.

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(aa) Floyd McQuilkin Hull, Jr., born at Millport, Ohio. Oct. 15, 1921.

(bb) Roy William Hull, born at Millport, Ohio, Jan. 5, 1923.

(cc) Charles McPherson Hull, born at Millport, Ohio, Aug. 25, 1927.

(dd) Clement Franklin Hull, born at Millport, Ohio, Oct. 19, 1932.

(j) Nettie Marie McPherson, born at Millport, Ohio, April 1, 1900. Residence, Pritchard Avenue, Lisbon, Ohio.

(k) William Calvin McPherson, born at Millport, Ohio, Feb. 5, 1904; married Jan. 3, 1936, to Gratia Marie Humph of Youngstown, Ohio. Residence, Youngstown, Ohio.

(l) Elizabeth Celia McPherson Williard, born at Millport, Ohio, Nov. 18, 1907; married April 20, 1933, to Homer Arthur Williard. Residence, R. D., Hanoverton, Ohio.

(aa) Homer Arthur Williard, Jr., born at Millport, Ohio, April 13, 1938.

5. Sarah Margaret McPherson Todd, born April 17, 1860; married March 17, 1881, to George A. Todd, who was born at Lisbon, Ohio, Feb. 24, 1858, and who died Feb. 2, 1934. Lumber dealer; appointed by President Benjamin Harrison to Townsite Board, later Land Commissioner, in Cherokee, Indian Strip. Oil refiner. Sarah Margaret McPherson Todd resides, 1701 Camden Way, Nichol's Hill, Oklahoma City, Okla.

(a) Hugh Harland Todd, born at Osage City, Kansas, July 18, 1882; died June 10, 1942; married to Mrs. Elizabeth McCarthy of Portland, Oregon. Residence, 701 Ladd Ave., Portland, Oregon.

(b) Ethel Elizabeth Todd DeArmond, born Aug. 1, 1889, at Osage City, Kansas; married Dec. 19, 1917, to Oren Hall DeArmond, D.D.S., who was born at Ashland, Ohio. Residence, 207 N. E. 4th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

(aa) Margaret Ellen DeArmond, born March 3, 1931. Residence, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

(c) Olive Matilda Todd Lundberg, born Sept. 29, 1891, at Guthrie, Oklahoma; married to Lt. Renus Herbert Lundberg, who was born at Chicago, Ill. Manager, Wilson & Company, packers. Residence, 801 N. W. 17th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

(aa) Betty Margaret Lundberg, born June 3, 1921. Residence, 801 N. W. 17th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

(bb) George Herbert Lundberg, born Dec. 3, 1939. Residence, 801 N. W. 17th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

(d) Laura Viola Todd Barker, born Jan. 20, 1896, at Edmond,

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Okla.; married Oct. 7, 1914, to Charles Edgar Barker, M.D. Residence, 1701 Camden Way, Nichols Hills, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

6. Hugh Sterling McPherson, born Nov. 21, 1862, at Salineville, Ohio; died Oct. 29, 1928, at Cleveland, Ohio; married June 4, 1885, to Viola DeVeney, who was born at Salineville, Ohio, on June 13, 1862, and who died at Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 13, 1936.

(a) Grace McPherson Faloon, born at Salineville, Ohio, Nov. 10, 1886; married Dec. 31, 1909, to Clyde Campman Faloon, who was born Feb. 6, 1886, at Salineville, Ohio. Residence 1923 East 71st St., Cleveland, Ohio.

(aa) John Edward Faloon, born at Lakewood, Ohio, May 22, 1914; married Jan. 29, 1939, to Eleanor Richardson, who was born at Framingham, Mass., Dec. 16, 1916. Industrial Engineer, General Electric Company. Residence, 55 Pomeroy Avenue, Pittsfield, Mass.

(bb) Joseph Sterling Faloon, born at Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 29, 1920. Otis Warehouse, William Edwards Co. Residence, 1923 East 71st St., Cleveland, Ohio.

(b) Eugene Edward McPherson, born at Salineville, Ohio, April 18, 1890; married Sept. 3, 1913, to Ellen Richards who was born at Madras, India, Oct. 22, 1892. Residence, Granville, Ohio; Post Office, Box 951, Newark, Ohio.

(aa) Eugene Edward McPherson, Jr., born at Lorain, Ohio, March 27, 1915; married Nov. 20, 1937, to Ethel Lehman, who was born at Canton, Ohio, Sept. 18, 1913. Residence, 680 Maple Ave., Newark, Ohio.

(bb) Margaret Ellen McPherson, born at Gainesville, Texas, March 29, 1917; died at Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 11, 1917.

(cc) Donald Louis McPherson, born at Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 3, 1919.

(dd) Viola Mae McPherson, born at Heath, Ohio, Jan. 11, 1922.

(ee) John Roger McPherson, born at Granville, Ohio, July 28, 1927.

(c) William DeVeney McPherson, born at Salineville, Ohio, Sept. 12, 1896; married July 9, 1927, to Venue Venables, who was born at Nottingham, England, Sept. 17, 1903. Residence, 3356 Spangler Rd., Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

(aa) Hugh Sterling McPherson, born at Cleveland, Ohio, March 1, 1930; died at Cleveland, Ohio, March 21, 1930.

(bb) John Thomas McPherson, born at Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 12, 1931.

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(cc) David William McPherson, born at Cleveland, Ohio, April 10, 1935.

(d) Louise McPherson Carey, born at Salineville, Ohio, Nov. 27, 1901; married Feb. 15, 1936, to Patrick Robert Carey who was born at Oakwood, Ohio, Jan. 15, 1902. Mr. Carey had a daughter by a former marriage, Jean Arthur Carey, who was born at Cleveland, Ohio, June 19, 1930. Residence, 1974 South Taylor Rd., Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

(aa) John Patrick Carey, born at Cleveland, Ohio, April 10, 1937.

(bb) Mary Viola Carey, born at East Cleveland, Ohio, March 15, 1940.

7. Phila Matilda McPherson Patterson, born near Salineville, Ohio, April 12, 1865; married June 12, 1889, to Samuel Winfield Patterson, who was born in Wayne Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, on Nov. 13, 1859, and who died April 17, 1927, and was buried at Bethel Church Cemetery. Residence of Phila Matilda McPherson Patterson, R. D. 3, Salineville, Ohio.

8. William Calvin McPherson, born May 7, 1868, died Jan. 4, 1893; married June 10, 1890, to Mary McQuoid.

VII. SARAH HART ANDERSON, born Feb. 10, 1829, died Jan. 6, 1913; married March 18, 1852, to J. Woods Anderson, who was born Sept. 10, 1824, and who died March 1, 1913.

1. Wesley Anderson, born April 8, 1853, died Dec. 10, 1913; married Nov. 15, 1905, to Ella Jamison. Residence, R. D. Cadiz, Ohio.

2. Martha Anderson Coburn, born Nov. 28, 1854, died June 25, 1938; married March 10, 1897, to Presley Coburn, who was born Jan. 30, 1855, and died April 4, 1923.

3. Rachel Anderson, born Oct. 7, 1856. Residence, 604 Broadway, Wellsville, Ohio.

4. Lydia Anderson Norris, born Sept. 13, 1858, died Jan. 31, 1936; married Nov. 5, 1895, to Frank Norris, who was born Nov. 5, 1865, Wellsville, Ohio.

5. James Anderson, born June 5, 1860; married Dec. 21, 1892, to Elizabeth Martin who was born April 3, 1862. 814 Broadway, Wellsville, Ohio.

(a) Isabel Anderson Dickey, born Feb. 13, 1895; married June 23, 1934, to Alva Dickey, who was born Aug. 17, 1893. 814 Broadway, Wellsville, Ohio.

(b) Frances Anderson Salsgiver, born Jan. 1, 1901, married Aug. 12, 1924, to James Salsgiver, who was born Feb. 7, 1894, Karns City, Penn.

(aa) James Glenn Salsgiver, born Oct. 15, 1925, Karns City, Penn.

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6. William Franklin Anderson, born Feb. 9, 1864, died April 17, 1864.

7. Virginia Anderson, born July 2, 1866, died May 22, 1908.

8. Laura Anderson, born April 13, 1868, 604 Broadway, Wells-ville, Ohio.

VIII. Silas Hart, born Oct. 20, 1830, died May 29, 1874; married Nov. 9, 1858, to Sarah N. Ewing, who was born March 11, 1837, and who died March 29, 1899.

1. Jennie Hart Yount, born Oct. 1859; died April 8, 1902; married Dec. 29, 1893, to George W. Yount, who was born May 15, 1849. Both died and were buried in the state of Washington.

2. Prudence Delila Hart Simmons, born Nov. 22, 1861, at Woodstock, Wisconsin, died Feb. 22, 1932, at Monroe, Wisconsin; married March 29, 1885, to George W. Simmons, born May 8, 1851, at Monroe Wisconsin, and died April 6, 1930. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Monroe, Wisconsin.

(a) Avis Mary Simmons Schmid, born Dec. 27, 1885; married Feb. 12, 1908, to Fred W. Schmid. Residence, Darien, Wis.

(aa) Lester S. Schmid, born Jan. 22, 1909, at Albany, Wisconsin; married Oct. 14, 1931, to Lillian Schulz at Reedsville, Wis. Residence, Sharon, Wis.

(aaa) Vivian Joyce Schmid, born at Elkhom, Wis., April 28, 1932.

(bbb) Geraldine Schmid, born at Elkhom, Wis., Dec. 27, 1933.

(ccc) Douglas Schmid, born at Elkhom, Wis., Nov. 4, 1935.

(bb) Arlene Anna Schmid Dutton, born Nov. 30, 1910, Juda, Wis.; married Oct. 10, 1932, to Ernest Dutton. Residence, Darien, Wis.

(aaa) Richard Dutton, born at Elkhom, Wis., Oct. 18, 1933.

(bbb) Avis Dutton, born at Elkhom, Wis., June 17, 1937.

(cc) Gladys Prudence Schmid, registered nurse, born Dec. 31, 1912, at Juda, Wis. Residence, Milwaukee, Wis.

(dd) Mildred Avis Schmid Henning, born at Juda, Wis., Oct. 29, 1914; married March 2, 1935, to Gilbert V. Henning. Residence, 1117 Eastern Ave., Janesville, Wis.

(aaa) Judith Ann Henning, born at Janesville, Wis., July 31, 1936.

(bbb) Philip Harold Henning, born at Janesville, Wis., March 2, 1938.

(ee) Byron F. Schmid, born at Monroe, Wis., May 7,

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1916; married Dec. 31, 1939, to Lucile Skelton. Residence, Darien, Wis.

(ff) Harold H. Schmid, born at Monroe, Wis., April 15, 1918; died Jan. 15, 1937.

(gg) Maurice Schmid, born at Marshfield, Wis., Sept. 10, 1920. Residence, Darien, Wis.

(hh) Gordon Schmid, born at Loyal, Wis., Feb. 1, 1923. Residence, Darien, Wis.

(ii) Hollis Jane Schmid, born at Medford, Wis., Nov. 6, 1925. Residence, Darien, Wis.

(jj) Robert Ray Schmid, born at Elkhorn, Wis., Nov. 22, 1927. Residence, Darien, Wis.

(b) Mazie Lucinda Simmons, born Oct. 6, 1887. Residence, 519 Eleventh St., Monroe, Wis.

(c) Sadie Eilzabeth Simmons, born Dec. 3, 1888. Residence, 519 Eleventh St., Monroe, Wis.

(d) George Wayne Simmons, born Oct. 17, 1891; married Dec. 16, 1916, to Esther Stubbe, born Sept. 19, 1895. Residence, Rapid City, So. Dakota.

(aa) Raynard Wayne Simmons, born at Sheldon, Ia., Jan. 13, 1918.

(bb) Isabel Betty Simmons Pedan, born at Hermosa, S. D., Jan. 6, 1920; married Jan. 24, 1937, to Leo C. Pedan. Residence, Rapid City, S. D.

(aaa) Stanley Wayne Pedan, born Oct. 29, 1938.

(cc) Anita Gene Simmons Pedan, born at Hermosa, S. D., Nov. 15, 1922; married July 16, 1938, to Omer Cecil Pedan, at Rapid City, S. D.

(dd) Milton Cecil Simmons, born Sept. 3, 1924; died Oct. 22, 1924.

(ee) Morlys Prudence Simmons, born at Rapid City, S. D., Aug. 11, 1929,
 (ff) Glenys Lena Simmons, born at Rapid City, S. D., Aug. 11, 1929 } twins

(gg) Charles Duwayne Simmons, born April 1, 1933.

(e) Charlton Silas Simmons born July 24, 1894; married Sept. 22, 1917, to Mayme Idell Mooney, who was born Aug. 1, 1898. Residence, 801 North St., Rapid City, So. Dakota.

(aa) Lloyd C. Simmons, born Sept. 9, 1918, married Dec. 15, 1937, to Iris Loffer.

(aaa) Mary Lou Simmons, born June 29, 1938.

(bbb) Robert Simmons, born Nov. 20, 1939.

(bb) Beulah Simmons Collins, born July 24, 1921; mar-

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ried 1937, to Clifford Collins, who was born April 21, 1918.

(aaa) Marylin Joan Collins, born April 25, 1938.

(bbb) Richard Lee Collins, born Dec. 3, 1940.

(cc) Ruby Simmons, born Feb. 14, 1927. Residence, Rapid City, S. Dakota.

(f) Stella Eva Simmons Prechel, born Dec. 7, 1900; married Aug. 27, 1929, to Harry Prechel. Residence, 601 Eleventh St., Monroe, Wis.

(aa) Harlan Harry Prechel (adopted), born June 21, 1939.

3. John Hart, born July 26, 1863; died Jan. 1928; married 1916, to Rose Wherry Keller, born 1866, and who died May 1933. Interment was in the old home cemetery, Woodstock, Wis.

4. Annie M. Hart Hines, born May 2, 1866, died Oct. 29, 1937; married Dec. 3, 1891, to Charles Hines, born March 22, 1864. Residence, Sac City, Iowa.

(a) Mabel Hines Waskom, born April 12, 1893; married Feb. 17, 1916, to Jay Waskom, born June 7, 1887. Residence, Newell, Iowa.

(aa) Mildred Lois Waskom, born Feb. 8, 1917.

(bb) Evelyn Marie Waskom, born July 27, 1920.

(cc) Caryl Lucile Waskom, born Dec. 6, 1923.

(dd) Crystal Irene Waskom, born July 9, 1926.

(b) Infant daughter born Jan. 27, 1895; died Jan. 31, 1895.

(c) Forest M. Hines, born Aug. 8, 1898; married Feb. 4, 1920, to Ella Larson, born Aug. 11, 1900. Residence, Sac City, Iowa.

(aa) Gerald Wayne Hines, born Dec. 21, 1920.

(bb) Kenneth LaVerne Hines, born Aug. 18, 1923, died Aug. 25, 1923.

(cc) Majel Keith Hines, born April 23, 1934.

(d) C. Fay Hines, born March 29, 1903; married July 12, 1922, to Zada Corsant, who was born June 25, 1904. Residence, Newell, Iowa.

(bb) Margie Lucille Hines, born Feb. 25, 1925.

(cc) Lowell C. Hines, born Aug. 22, 1927.

5. Frank W. Hart, born Aug. 8, 1870, died Jan. 12, 1939, at Los Angeles, California, burial at Woodstock, Wis.

6. Fred Hart, born March 10, 1873; died May 4, 1898, at Omaha, Nebraska; buried at Woodstock Cemetery in Silas Hart's family lot, Woodstock, Wis.

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IX. ALEXANDER HART, born June 18, 1832; died May 21, 1922; married Nov. 6, 1856, to Margaret McGillivray who was born July 15, 1834, and who died March, 1926.

1. William Charles Hart, born Aug. 4, 1857; died Nov. 9, 1863.
2. Prudence Hart, born Jan. 16, 1859; died Nov. 8, 1863.
3. Matilda Hart, born July 12, 1861; died Nov. 15, 1863.
4. John C. Hart, born Oct. 15, 1863; died Dec. 27, 1941; married to Maria McKenzie on March 16, 1893, who was born Aug. 14, 1870, Salineville, Ohio.

(a) Grace Hart, born Sept. 4, 1905. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

5. Flora E. Hart, born Dec. 13, 1865; died Feb. 2, 1871.
6. Kate Hart Cope, born April 8, 1868; died Oct. 24, 1940; married Nov. 28, 1888, to Samuel Cope who was born June 20, 1861, and who died April 13, 1932.

(a) Lona Cope Thomas, born Nov. 1, 1889; married Dec. 28, 1910, to William J. Thomas, who was born July 3, 1882, Tiltonsville, Ohio.

(aa) Margaret Kathryn Thomas Hananer, born Nov. 11, 1911; married Sept. 23, 1937, to Samuel E. Hananer, who was born Dec. 1, 1904, Wheeling, W. Va.

(aaa) Harriet Lee Hananer, born Oct. 20, 1938.

(bb) William Cope Thomas, born Feb. 2, 1917, Tiltonsville, Ohio.

(b) Mabel Cope Parsons, born Nov. 1, 1892; married June 22, 1916, to Frank M. Parsons who was born March 17, 1890, Tiltonsville, Ohio.

(aa) Willard Samuel Parsons, born Oct. 6, 1917, Tiltonsville, Ohio.

(bb) Lawrence Franklin Parsons, born Aug. 19, 1922, Tiltonsville, Ohio.

(c) Almeda Cope Mansbarger, born Oct. 29, 1894; married Dec. 23, 1929, to James C. Mansbarger, who was born June 12, 1884, Tiltonsville, Ohio.

(d) Margaret Cope Walker, born Feb. 5, 1897; married Sept. 28, 1936, to Phillip D. Walker, who was born Feb. 13, 1895. Residence, Hammondsville, Ohio.

7. Pressley Sterling Hart, born Nov. 19, 1870; married Dec. 6, 1893, to Sarah Lindsay who was born March 1, 1869. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(a) Edson Lindsay Hart, born March 12, 1895; married 1920 to Maxine Lange who died March 6, 1933. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

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(aa) Edson Lindsay Hart, born March 29, 1921. Residence, Salineville, Ohio. Now in the U. S. Army.

(bb) Robert Lange Hart, born July 29, 1926. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(cc) William Sterling Hart, born July 31, 1932. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(b) Alfred Armstrong Hart, born Oct. 13, 1896; died Aug. 20, 1937; married Aug. 19, 1929, to Martha Wilson who was born January, 1901.

(aa) Alfred Alexander Hart, born Jan. 3, 1933. Residence, Ben Avon, Penn.

(c) Margaret Hart Funk, born Sept. 5, 1898; married Aug. 29, 1922, to Rev. Dallas H. Funk. Residence, Mineral Ridge, Ohio.

8. Samuel Alexander Hart, born Sept. 2, 1873; married July 6, 1898, to Nelle Vaughn Orr, who was born Dec. 20, 1873. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(a) James Alexander Hart, born Aug. 11, 1911; married June 27, 1937, to Velma Mae Brown who was born April 25, 1914. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

9. Edson Franklin Hart, born June 8, 1876; married June 23, 1898, to Lulu D. Close, who was born May 13, 1875. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(a) Walter Calvin Hart, born March 6, 1900; married June 29, 1922, to Hazel Loretta Wilson, who was born Aug. 11, 1904. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(aa) Martha Jane Hart, born Nov. 14, 1924. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(bb) Donald Wilson Hart, born Aug. 5, 1927; died April 7, 1932.

(cc) Frank Edward Hart, born Nov. 16, 1929. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(dd) Walter Glenn Hart, born Dec. 11, 1934. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(b) Paul Close Hart, born March 29, 1902; married Nov. 4 1919, to Hazel Pauline McIntosh, who was born Aug. 17, 1900. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(aa) Dorothy Louise Hart, born Nov. 9, 1920. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(bb) Bette Pauline Hart, born March 12, 1923. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(c) Gladys Irene Hart Foltz, born April 18, 1903; married July 7, 1925, to Jay Clinton Foltz, who was born Sept. 7, 1903. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

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(aa) Patricia Ann Foltz, born Oct. 13, 1927. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(bb) Dale Edward Foltz, born March 15, 1930. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(cc) Richard Hart Foltz, born Oct. 17, 1935. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(d) Mildred Adda Hart, born July 26, 1904; died July 10, 1905.

(e) Alvin Franklin Hart, born Oct. 26, 1905; married May 27, 1927, to Ona Opal Brown, who was born April 20, 1912, and who died Jan. 13, 1928. Married, second, Nov. 9, 1932, to Isadora G. Wolf, who was born Jan. 25, 1915. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(aa) Grace Ann Hart, born Sept. 14, 1933; died March 28, 1934.

(bb) Sue Joan Hart, born Feb. 16, 1937. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(cc) Marcia Jean Hart, born Dec. 23, 1938. Residence, Salineville, Ohio.

(f) Lawrence Edson Hart, born May 21, 1909; married Aug. 29, 1928, to Mildred Faloon, who was born Aug. 29, 1910. Residence, Wellsville, Ohio.

X. MATILDA HART SMITH, tenth child of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart, born in Ohio, July 12, 1834, died at Gillingham, Wisconsin, Aug. 17, 1886; married Jan. 3, 1856, to Angus Smith of Ohio, who was born Sept. 2, 1832, and who died Feb. 19, 1917, at Gillingham, Wisconsin.

1. Lyda Smith McIntosh, born in Ohio, April 22, 1857, died March 16, 1928; married Dec. 24, 1885, to Hugh McIntosh, who was born in Ohio, Dec. 21, 1848, died Sept. 12, 1898.

(a) Cadie Matilda McIntosh Faith, born Nov. 5, 1886, at Decorah, Iowa; married March 25, 1913, at Galen, Ill., to Peter Faith, farmer and mechanic, who was born May 4, 1879, and who died Oct. 29, 1926. Residence, Route 1, Glenhaven, Wis.

(b) Ida McIntosh Knappmiller, born Oct. 28, 1888, at Decorah, Iowa; married Jan. 1, 1912, to William Knappmiller, farmer, at Fennimore, Wisconsin, who was born Jan. 29, 1889, at Kewaunee, Wisconsin. Residence, R. F. D., Fennimore, Wisconsin.

(aa) Dorothy Knappmiller Cottingham, born Dec. 18, 1912; married to Elmer Cottingham, farmer, who was born Oct. 23, 1912. Residence, Fennimore, Wis.

(aaa) Janet Elaine Cottingham, born March 13, 1936.

(bbb) John Elmer Cottingham, born Aug. 5, 1938.

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(bb) William Wendell Knappmiller, farmer, born May 18, 1916; married May 31, 1939, to Marian Elizabeth Plimpton, who was born March 20, 1920. Residence, Fennimore, Wis.

(aaa) Knappmiller, born Nov. , 1940.

(c) Harry McIntosh, born March 7, 1892; died at Gillingham, Wis., March 9, 1924.

(d) Prudence McIntosh, born September, 1893; died January, 1895.

2. John A. Smith, born in Ohio, Oct. 1, 1858; married March 27, 1879, to Ida Morrow, who was born Nov. 28, 1860, and who died Sept. 2, 1942. Residence, R. F. D. 4, Richland Center, Wis.

(a) Charles J. Smith, born March 6, 1880; married June 26, 1907, to Iola Peckham, who was born Aug. 20, 1882. Residence R. D. 3, Richland Center, Wis.

(aa) Leslie John Smith, born Oct. 6, 1908; married Nov. 30, 1933, to Irene Rosenberger, who was born Jan. 13, 1909. Residence, 23 E. Slocum St., Rice Lake, Wis.

(aaa) Myron Nealand Smith, born April 14, 1937.

(bbb) Carrol Irene Smith, born July 16, 1942.

(bb) Mattie Faye Smith, born Nov. 16, 1910. Residence, Land O' Lakes, Wis.

(cc) Josephine Adel Smith, born Nov. 11, 1912. Residence, Madison, Wis.

(dd) Ida Allene Smith Everson, born Sept. 9, 1914; married March 15, 1936, to Knudt Everson, who was born Nov. 18, 1911. Residence, 3205 Thorp St., Madison, Wis.

(aaa) James Duane Everson, born Oct. 27, 1938.

(bbb) Robert Knudt Everson, born June 12, 1942.

(ee) Marion Isabel Smith, born Jan. 12, 1916. Residence, Madison, Wis.

(ff) Herman Wesley Smith, born June 16, 1917; married March 28, 1942, to Elaine Baird. Residence, Columbus, Wis.

(gg) Carolyn Evelyn Smith Salberg, born Oct. 31, 1918; married Dec. 21, 1941, to Duane Salberg. Residence, Watertown, Wis.

(hh) Charles Warren Smith, born Nov. 28, 1922. Residence, Madison, Wis.

(ii) John Alexander Smith, born Aug. 19, 1925. Residence, R. F. D. 2, Richland Center, Wis.

(jj) Virginia Irene Smith, born Sept. 27, 1927. Residence, Rt. 2, Richland Center, Wis.

D. John Swift Hart—Family Chart Continued

(b) Christina Smith McGiffin Burgess, born July 16, 1881; married April 9, 1909, to Frank McGiffin. Married, second, Oct. 2, 1918, to William Burgess, born May 17, Residence, Wampum, Wis.

(aa) Francis McGiffin, born Aug. 25, 1909; married May 17, 1936, to Alma Hjversio, who was born April 23, 1913, at Barron, Wis. Residence, Mauston, Wis.

(aaa) Robert Francis McGiffin, born June 21, 1937.

(bbb) Thomas Gerald McGiffin, born June 28, 1939.

(c) James Smith, born March 18, 1883; died March 10, 1915.

(d) Elmer Smith, born Nov. 2, 1889; married Sept. 4, 1912, to Ada Rose Flamma, who was born Oct. 31, 1889, and who died Jan. 10, 1942. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aa) Inez Theophile Smith Gorman, born June 24, 1914. Married Oct. 1941, to William Gorman. Residence, Waukesha, Wis., R. 1.

(bb) Helen Allene Smith Cooper, born June 8, 1919; married June 27, 1938, to Bernard Cooper, who was born March 14, 1920. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aaa) Rose Bernard Cooper, born March 25, 1942.

(cc) Don Smith, born March 6, 1929, died Oct. 31, 1929.

3. Alice Smith, born Oct. 7, 1860; died Nov. 28, 1864.

4. Maggie Smith Peckham, born Aug. 5, 1868; died March 5, 1913; married Sept. 22, 1886, to John W. Peckham, who was born Oct. 26, 1862, and who died Nov. 16, 1910.

(a) Blanche Peckham Chandler, born June 8, 1889; married March 30, 1907, to William Chandler, who was born Jan. 24, 1884. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aa) Myron Austin Chandler, born Oct. 7, 1907; married January, 1929, to Loreata Cove, who was born July 29, 1909. Residence, Milwaukee, Wis.

(aaa) James Darwin Chandler, born Dec. 18, 1929.

(bb) Margaret Chandler McGinley, born June 12, 1909; married Dec. 24, 1928, to Jude McGinley, who was born July 6, 1908. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aaa) Frances McGinley, born Aug. 24, 1929.

(cc) John William Chandler, born March 21, 1911; married Aug. 24, 1936, to Ethel Turnmire, who was born April 13, 1912. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aaa) John Chandler, Jr., born June 10, 1940.

(dd) Darwin Ora Chandler, born Jan. 24, 1914; married Oct. 6, 1934, to Jeanne Jeffries, who was born Nov. 27, 1912. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

D. John Swift Hart—Family Chart Continued

(aaa) Darwin Ora Chandler, Jr., born June 3, 1935.

(ee) Marian Eleanor Chandler Oliver, born Dec. 10, 1917; married May 11, 1940, to Orrin Dale Oliver, who was born Oct. 6, 1919. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(ff) Mary Louise Chandler Soltwedel, born Oct. 30, 1919; married Sept. 27, 1939, to Harold Soltwedel, who was born Dec. 15, 1917. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aaa) Judith Marian Soltwedel, born June 15, 1940.

(bbb) Janet Mary Soltwedel, born June 15, 1940.

(b) Charles Hart Peckham, born Aug. 11, 1891; married June 14, 1913, to Ida Janney, daughter of Lilly May Sweet, who was the adopted daughter of Lyman Hart. Residence, Gillingham, Wis.

(aa) Eleanor Peckham, born June 4, 1914. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(bb) John Willard Peckham, born Feb. 11, 1916; married Aug. 24, 1940, to Margaret Dreher, who was born Jan. 21, 1902. Residence, Evansville, Wis.

(aaa) Phillip John Peckham, born April 4, 1941.

(cc) Phyllis Peckham, born April 9, 1918. Residence, 1114 Wall St., Janesville, Wis.

(dd) Margaret Helen Peckham Lisney, born Dec. 2, 1920; married Jan. 5, 1938, to Edward Lisney, who was born 1889. Residence, Blue River, Wis.

(aaa) Gaillard Leverne Lisney, born Aug. 8, 1939.

(bbb) Edna May Lisney, born Feb. 6, 1941.

(ee) Charles Hart Peckham, Jr., born Feb. 11, 1923. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(ff) Ronald Clark Peckham, born Aug. 31, 1929. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(gg) Larry Kent Peckham, born June 23, 1936. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

5. Phila Smith Gillingham, born July 30, 1870, died April 17, 1942; married Sept. 24, 1892, to Thomas Irvin Gillingham, who was born Jan. 25, 1871, and who died Aug. 26, 1940.

XI. ANSON L. B. HART, born April 2, 1836; died March 21, 1881; married Oct. 6, 1870 to Mary Baxter, now deceased.

XII. ALMYRA HART SMITH, born in Washington Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, Jan. 10, 1838; died Sept. 10, 1906; married May 22, 1861, to John W. Smith, who was born near Wellsville, Ohio, July 15, 1835, and who died February 20, 1917.

1. William Sterling Smith, born Feb. 14, 1862; died Feb. 14, 1875.

D. John Swift Hart—Family Chart Continued

2. Prudence Smith Rose, born in Yellow Creek Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, July 22, 1863; married Sept. 3, 1884, to Hugh Sanford Rose, who was born at Highlandtown, Ohio, Nov. 30, 1859, and who died Oct. 28, 1934. Residence, R. D. 1, Irondale, Ohio.

(a) Wilford Logan Rose, born at Highlandtown, Ohio, Nov. 29, 1885; died at Wendell, Idaho, Nov. 24, 1911; married Sept. 3, 1907, to Mary DeSellems, who was born Aug. 8, 1837. Residence, R. D. 1, Salineville, Ohio.

(aa) Wilfred Lucile Rose Schubert, born at Wendell, Idaho, Nov. 4, 1911; married, Sept. 11, 1928, to Kenneth Schubert, who was born May 3, 1906.

(aaa) Alvin Eugene Schubert, born Nov. 12, 1929.

NOTE: Wilfred Lucile Rose Schubert, married second, Feb. 26, 1940, to Fred Wienman, who was born March 29, 1913. Residence, Steubenville, Ohio.

(b) Eva Mae Rose Mick, born at Highlandtown, April 27, 1888; married Dec. 30, 1908, to Homer George Mick, who was born Jan. 11, 1886. Residence, R. D. 2, Lisbon, Ohio.

(aa) Hugh James Mick, born Oct. 15, 1909; married June 30, 1936, to Mary Jane Vogal, who was born at New Cumberland, W. Va., Oct. 16, 1913. Residence, New Cumberland, W. Va.

(aaa) Craig Erskine Mick, born at New Cumberland, W. Va., March 28, 1937.

(bbb) Charles Edward Mick, born at New Cumberland, W. Va., July 16, 1938.

(bb) Leola Eva Mick McMurry, born at Wellsville, Ohio, Jan. 6, 1912; married April 29, 1935, to Eugene Paul McMurry, who was born at East Liverpool, Ohio, May 20, 1914. Residence, Wellsville, Ohio.

(aaa) Colleen Lou McMurry, born June 9, 1937; died June 9, 1937.

(bbb) Eugene Paul McMurry, born at Lisbon, Ohio, Aug. 4, 1938. Residence, 717 Broadway, Wellsville, Ohio.

(ccc) Stanley Arden McMurry, born at Wellsville, Ohio, Feb. 26, 1940.

(ddd) Arlene Leola McMurry, born Feb. 2, 1941, died Feb. 2, 1941.

(cc) Gladys Rose Mick Harris, born at Wellsville, Ohio, Oct. 27, 1913; married April 28, 1937, to Harry Lee Harris, who was born at Walton, West Va., Sept. 19, 1911. Residence, Box 173, Irondale, Ohio.

(dd) Elmer Homer Mick, born at Wellsville, Ohio, May

D. John Swift Hart—Family Chart Continued

18, 1916; married Aug. 16, 1941, to Garnet Stern, who was born June 16, 1920. Residence, East Liverpool, O.

(ee) Lillian Virginia Mick, born at Wellsville, Ohio, Sept. 18, 1918. Residence, Route 2, Lisbon, Ohio.

(ff) Loyd Eugene Mick, born at Wellsville, Ohio, March 26, 1921. Residence, Route 2, Lisbon, Ohio.

(gg) Lawrence Ford Mick, born at Wellsville, Ohio, July 16, 1923. Residence, Route 2, Lisbon, Ohio.

(hh) Homer George Mick, Jr., born at Wellsville, Ohio, Dec. 13, 1926. Residence, Route 2, Lisbon, Ohio.

(ii) William Glen Mick, born at Wellsville, Ohio, Oct. 29, 1928; died Dec. 24, 1935.

(jj) Leon Evens Mick, born at Wellsville, Ohio, July 7, 1932. Residence, Route 2, Lisbon, Ohio.

(kk) Gerald Everett Mick, born at Wellsville, Ohio, Feb. 13, 1936. Residence, Route 2, Lisbon, Ohio.

(c) Frank Edwin Rose, born at Highlandtown, Ohio, Aug. 4, 1889; married March 8, 1916, to Helen Marie Taggert, who was born at Wellsville, Ohio, Jan. 31, 1897. Residence, Highlandtown, Ohio.

(aa) Esther Catherine Rose Smith, born June 22, 1916; married Sept. 3, 1941, to Loyd Smith, born Oct. 1, 1942. Residence, Highlandtown, Ohio.

(bb) Dale Edwin Rose, born Sept. 24, 1918. Residence, U. S. Army, Fort Sill, Okla.

(cc) Dean Wilmer Rose, born June 26, 1923. Residence, Highlandtown, Ohio.

(d) Floyd Daniel Rose, born at Highlandtown, Ohio, Jan. 11, 1892; married April 14, 1914, to Marie Catherine Prosser, who was born at Wellsville, Ohio, Sept. 13, 1896. Residence, Conway, Pennsylvania.

(aa) Wilbur Prosser Rose, born at Conway, Pa., Jan. 21, 1915; married Nov. 19, 1938, to Vivian Mary Broadhead, who was born at Irondale, Ohio, Nov. 10, 1914. Residence, Beloit, Ohio.

(aaa) Ronald Eugene Rose, born at Conway, Pa., Sept. 15, 1939. Residence, Beloit, Ohio.

(bbb) Edward Keith Rose, born at Conway, Pa., Sept. 28, 1940. Residence, Beloit, Ohio.

(bb) Donald Dean Rose, born at Conway, Pa., Jan. 7, 1919. Residence, Camp Tyson, Tenn., U. S. Army.

(cc) Ruth Eleanore Rose, born at Conway, Pa., Jan. 18, 1924. Residence, Conway, Pa.

(dd) Beverly Jane Rose, born at Conway, Pa., Dec. 20, 1925. Residence, Conway, Pa.

D. John Swift Hart—Family Chart Continued

(e) Viola Almira Rose, born at Highlandtown, Ohio, May 17, 1894. Residence, Irondale, Ohio.

(f) Flora Ida Edith Rose, born at Highlandtown, Ohio, April 12, 1898. Residence, R. D. Irondale, Ohio.

3. Infant son of Almyra Hart Smith and John W. Smith, born Sept. 20, 1865; died Dec. 23, 1865.

4. John Hammond Smith, born in Yellow Creek Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, Oct. 14, 1867; died at Pittsburgh, Pa., April 13, 1932; married July 3, 1901, to Anna Debora Coleman, who was born at Mt. Gilead, Ohio, Sept. 3, 1878, and who died at Pittsburgh, Pa., June 28, 1906.

(a) Anna Virginia Smith Hull Brundage, born at Pittsburgh, Pa., July 3, 1902; married to George Chambers Hull who died in 1929; married, second, March 6, 1935, to Paul B. Brundage, who was born Oct. 23, 1903. Residence, Vineland, New Jersey.

(aa) Marjorie Louise Brundage, born at Vineland, New Jersey, Dec. 23, 1935.

(b) Lillian Isabella Smith Chambers, born at Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 24, 1905; married Oct. 20, 1931, to William Warwick Chambers, who was born Dec. 12, 1904, and who died Nov. 27, 1935. Residence of Lillian Isabella Smith Chambers is Vineland, N. J.

(aa) John William Chambers, born at Pittsburgh, Pa., April 5, 1933.

NOTE: John Hammond Smith married, second, June 23, 1909, to Gertrude Marion Smith, who was born at Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 13, 1880, and who died Feb. 18, 1918. He then married June 25, 1919, Helen Dalrymple, who was born March 29, 1886. Residence of Helen Dalrymple Smith is 6363 Douglas St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

(c) Helen Ilene Smith, born at Pittsburgh, Pa., April 9, 1920.

(d) Evelyn Almire Smith, born at Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 20, 1922.

(e) Martha Louise Smith, born at Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 2, 1924.

5. Flora B. Smith, born in Yellow Creek Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, Aug. 26, 1869; died March 17, 1942.

6. Sarah Matilda Smith, born Oct. 31, 1871; died April 4, 1892.

7. Frank Ellsworth Smith, born in Yellow Creek Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, May 27, 1874; married June 30, 1897, to Ida Binsley who was born in Wayne Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, Sept. 25, 1873, and who died Nov. 8, 1916; Frank Ellsworth Smith then married May 21, 1919, Katherine Jeanette Patterson, who was born in Wayne Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, on Oct. 12, 1894. Residence, R. D. 1, Wellsville, Ohio.

D. John Swift Hart—Family Chart Continued

(a) John W. Smith, born in Yellow Creek Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, March 13, 1921; married to _____ who was born _____ Residence, now in U. S. Army.

(b) Hugh McQueen Smith, born in Yellow Creek Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, Feb. 6, 1923.

(c) Mary Patterson Smith, born in Yellow Creek Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, Dec. 12, 1924.

(d) Margaret Jean Smith, born in Yellow Creek Township, Columbiana County, Sept. 30, 1928.

(e) Laura Virginia Smith, born in Yellow Creek Township, Columbiana County, July 14, 1932.

8. Infant son of Almyra Hart Smith and John W. Smith, born Oct. 25, 1876; died Dec. 19, 1876.

9. Rhoda Philena Smith, born in Yellow Creek Township, Columbiana County, Ohio, June 23, 1879; died March 17, 1882.

XIII. Lorinda Hart, born Nov. 10, 1839; died Dec. 6, 1860.

XIV. Hector Sterling Hart, born Jan. 17, 1842; died Jan. 26, 1898; married to Rhoda Adams who was born June 24, 1842, and who died Nov. 10, 1926.

XV. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN HART, born Sept. 17, 1843, died Nov. 8, 1904; married March 1, 1866, to Ariel S. Dreghorn, who was born Aug. 31, 1844, and who died Nov. 30, 1922. Both buried in Highlandtown Cemetery.

1. William Lincoln Hart, born Feb. 5, 1867; married Sept. 15, 1897, to Ida Bithia Caskey, who was born Sept. 4, 1870. Residence, 135 Overlook Drive, Alliance, Ohio.

(a) Ian Bruce Hart, born Dec. 29, 1899; married June 23, 1924, to Ruth Potter, who was born Aug. 11, 1902. Residence, 332 25th St., N. W., Canton, Ohio.

(aa) Betty Jane Hart, born Feb. 3, 1926. Residence, 332 25th St., N. W., Canton, Ohio.

(bb) Ian Bruce Hart, Jr., born March 3, 1930. Residence, 332 25th St., N. W., Canton, Ohio.

(b) Ruth Ann Hart, born June 15, 1906; died June 16, 1906.

(c) William Lincoln Hart, Jr., born Jan. 11, 1910; married Sept. 4, 1936, to Martha Ellen John, who was born Dec. 22, 1912. Residence, 135 Overlook Drive, Alliance, Ohio.

2. John Dreghorn Hart, born July 28, 1869; died July 17, 1932; married Nov. 6, 1902, to Della M. Lotz, Cleveland, Ohio. John D. Hart is buried in Highlandtown Cemetery.

3. Winnifred Philena Hart Bricker, born Oct. 19, 1871; died

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Dec. 9, 1937; married Jan. 1, 1903, to Frank Bricker who was born at Leetonia, Ohio, Oct. 1, 1870. Residence, R. D. Leetonia, Ohio. Winnifred Bricker is buried in St. Jacob's Cemetery.

4. Charles Guyton Hart, born Sept. 7, 1873; married Sept. 8, 1898, to Orpha Adams, who was born Jan. 28, 1875. Residence, R. D., Leetonia, Ohio.

(a) Marjory Hart, born Sept. 8, 1904. Residence, R. D., Leetonia, Ohio.

(b) Helen Hart Krichbaum, born Jan. 15, 1908; married Dec., 1937, to Carl Krichbaum. Residence, 2042 Miller Ave., Alliance, Ohio.

(aa) Daniel Hart Krichbaum, born May 14, 1942.

(c) Hazel Irene Hart, born April 14, 1910; married Nov. 5, 1941, to Howard Arthur Wilhelm. Residence R. F. D., Alliance, Ohio.

5. Margaret Matilda Hart, born Sept. 7, 1875. Residence, R. D., Leetonia, Ohio.

6. Sarah Eleanor Hart, born April 5, 1877; died Dec. 9, 1936. Buried in Highlandtown Cemetery.

7. Harriet Almyra Hart Clark, born June 21, 1879; died Nov. 13, 1940; married Dec. 5, 1907, to George Brookman Clark who was born Feb. 24, 1876. Harriet Clark is buried in Lisbon Cemetery.

8. Fred Alexander Garfield Hart, born Oct. 18, 1883; married June 15, 1915, to Myrtle Rankin, who was born Oct. 13, 1883. Residence, 336 Day St., Ravenna, Ohio.

(a) Kenneth Rankin Hart, born May 17, 1916; married July 3, 1940, to Mary Games. Residence, 224 East Wilson Ave., Girard, Ohio.

(b) Leona Margaret Hart, born Jan. 30, 1921. Residence, Ravenna, Ohio.

(c) Frederick Francis Hart, born Feb. 18, 1923. Residence, Ravenna, Ohio.

9. Bertha Ariel Hart, born Dec. 8, 1885. Residence, R. D. Leetonia, Ohio.

10. Frank Raymond Hart, born Sept. 18, 1887; married March 18, 1920, to Helen Armstrong, who was born April 14, 1892. Residence, Salem, Ohio.

(a) Blaine Franklin Hart, born May 25, 1921. Residence, R. D., Salem, Ohio.

XVI. RACHEL E. HART, sixteenth child of John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart was born Dec. 29, 1844, and died Jan. 26, 1856.

XVII. WILLIAM FARMER HART, born March 7, 1843; died Jan. 1, 1920.

CHAPTER XV

E — Lyman Hart—Seventh American Generation

Lyman Hart, fifth child of Silas Hart and Philae Swift Hart was born at Palmyra, New York, in 1797, and died at Monroe, Michigan, Aug. 15, 1834. He was not married. Historical information concerning him is meager. He kept up some correspondence with his brothers and sisters, but most of this has been lost or destroyed.

He attended one or more educational institutions in central New York, but finally located at Monroe, Michigan, where he owned some real estate at the time of his death, which was conveyed to purchasers after his death by his brothers and sister, as his heirs at law.

He was a metal worker by trade. Shortly before his death he evidently wrote for a letter of recommendation from a firm in Easton, Pennsylvania, where he had worked. The reply letter with a certificate of recommendation, which were mailed to him shortly after his death, came into the hands of his brother, Julius C. Hart. These letters were preserved by the family. The envelope is post-marked "Easton, Pa. Aug. 24" and is addressed to "Mr. Lyman Hart, Monroe, M. T." (Michigan Territory.) The text of the letters are as follows:

Easton 24 August 1834.

"Mr. Hart:

Sir, on my arrival last evening after an absence of several weeks Mr. Curtis handed me a letter from you requesting us to send you a recommendation which should have been attended to immediately on the arrival of the letter, had I been at home. I fear it will now be too late to be of service to you. I wish you to write me and let me know how you are pleased with the country. What are the chances for speculation, if the farmers are getting rich and all particulars. I have nothing new or important to communicate. We have the same hands employed that we had when you left. Business remains about the same with perhaps a slight improvement. That you may prosper in business is the sincere wish of your

Obt. Servt.

Don Holt."

"Easton 24, Aug. 1834

"We do hereby certify that we have been acquainted with Lyman Hart during the last five or six years. He has been in our employment one year ending on the first of June last. We do with confidence recommend him as a man of good moral character of steady and industrious habits and a good workman as a mechanic, understanding his business.

"Holt & Chidsey

"Manufacturers of Tin and Sheet Iron Ware

"Easton, P. A."

The following is a letter from Lyman Hart to his brother, John Swift Hart at Salineville, Ohio, announcing the death of their sister, Alice Hart Clesson.

“Geneva, N. Y. Oct. 30, 1832.

“Dear Brother:—

“Under the most trying and painful circumstances, it becomes my duty to announce to you the death of our beloved sister, Alice. Her voice is no more to be heard in the land of the living and her body lies mouldering beneath the clods of the valley. (Sad thought.) ‘We her presence, delightful through time, no more can enjoy; but thrice happy pleasure, her hopes may inspire.’

“She has enjoyed for the most part of the time since I saw you, good health, and especially the last two or three months previous to her illness she appeared unusually joyful with her situation in life and was promising herself comfort and ease for the future, and her circumstances were truly more promising than they had been for several years heretofore. The doctor being more attentive to his business and also having the office of Post-Master where he then and now lives, (Sodus by name situated on the ridge road) which brought him an income of three or four hundred dollars a year, which together with good society and all things necessary for the comforts of this life, seemed to cluster around her and bid her welcome to future enjoyment. But, alas! The time had come when her mortal career was soon to be closed; her lungs were affected with disease and her body laid upon a sick bed were in defiance of all medical aid.

“But, blessed be God, amidst all of her pain and sickness, she manifested a hope as bright as the morning star, and like an anchor it proved both sure and steadfast, for among her last words and in her right mind she distinctly said: “I am going home.” Thus she closed this life on Saturday the 27th of Oct. 1832, age 43 years, 8 months and one day.

“The rest of our friends are all in good health. Mr. Richard Sweet and children send their respects and wish to be remembered by all the friends. Mr. Sweet himself has become a most pious, devoted christian, is a member of the Presbyterian Church in Palmyra and does much for the cause of his beloved Master and I trust will continue faithful unto the end of life, for which we trust he will receive a crown of rejoicing in the day of the Lord. He lives on the same place of which I wrote to you before and makes a living by selling milk, and has therefore given up boating altogether. With regard to myself, I have enjoyed good health for the most of the time since I saw you and have been to work at my trade all of the time until the last six months, which, by the request of several of my friends, I have spent in school with a view of getting a liberal education and finally entering the ministry. It is truly a great undertaking and will require a great deal of deep thought and hard and persevering study, and how I shall make it come out is difficult for me to say; but I think now I shall con-

tinue until I get an education be the consequence what it will. I still live in Geneva, Ontario County, and expect to for some time. I have long waited for a letter from some of my friends in Ohio but as long have I waited in vain. Until now the duty of writing has not seemed incumbent on me without first hearing from some of you. You will therefore forgive my stupidity and no longer give occasion for me to pattern after yours. This from your affectionate Brother,

LYMAN HART."

CHAPTER XVI

F — Julius Caesar Hart—Seventh American Generation

Julius Caesar Hart, sixth child of Silas Hart and Phile Swift Hart, was born at Palmyra, New York, April 30, 1799. After the death of his mother in 1813, he moved with his father, his brother, John Swift Hart and his sister, Julia Maria Hart to Columbiana County, Ohio. He first resided a short time at Lisbon and then moved to Washington Township, near Salineville, Ohio, on his father's farm located on Yellow Creek in that Township.

He was of a studious disposition and as a young man thoroughly fitted himself for the teaching profession. Before his majority he began teaching in the country schools of the neighboring counties, most of these schools being what were then termed subscription schools.

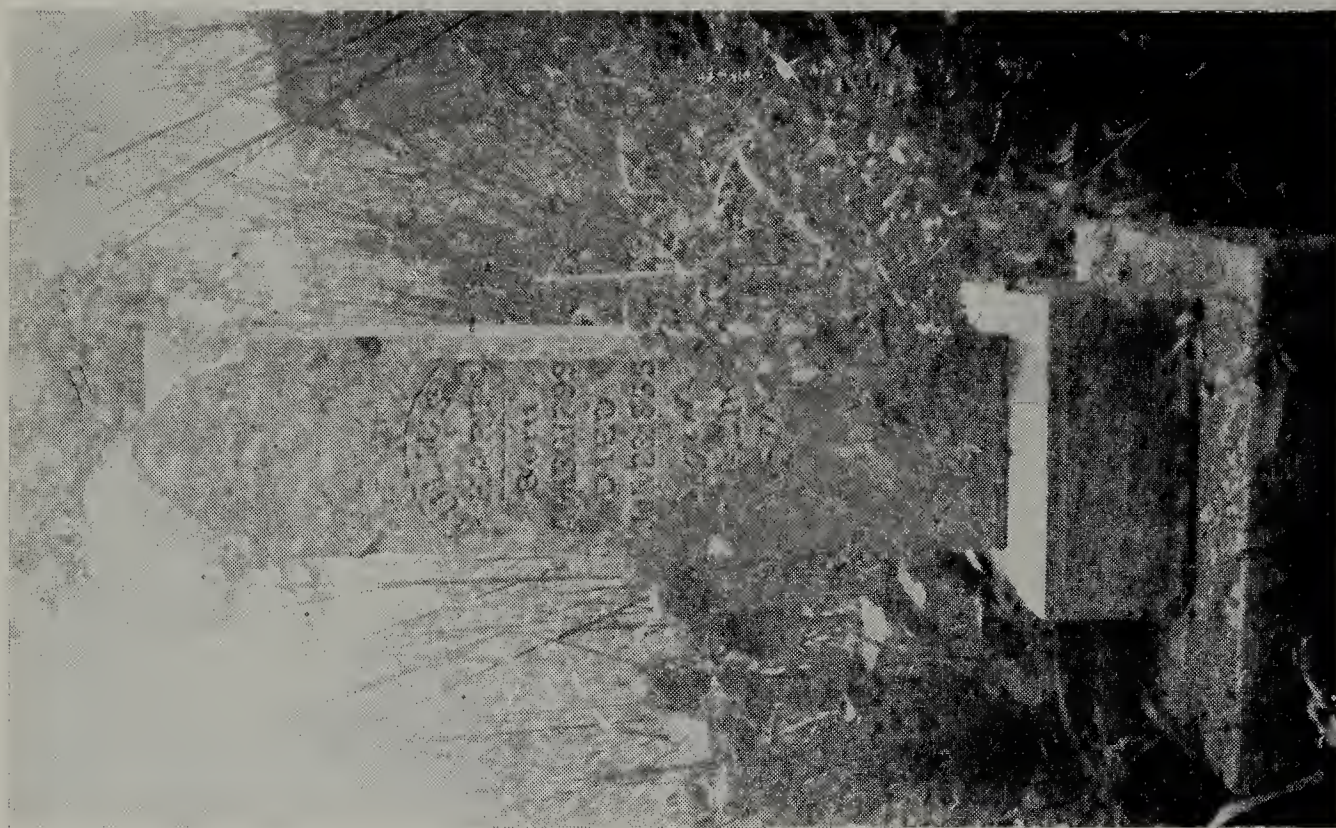
While teaching school at Augusta, Carroll County, he met Catherine Carroll to whom he was married in the latter part of 1825. They took up their residence on a farm near Augusta and here reared a large family of twelve children. The farm in question was purchased by Julius C. Hart from John and Catherine Ashbrook under date of Nov. 27, 1829, and is described as follows: Situated in the County of Columbiana and State of Ohio, being a part of the east half of the northwest quarter of Section Twenty in Township fifteen (Augusta), and range five, bounded as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of the east half of the northwest quarter, running south one hundred and twenty perches; thence east eighty perches; thence north eighty four perches; thence east forty four perches and eleven links to the edge of Sandy Creek; thence north thirty-six perches; thence west one hundred and twenty four perches and eleven links to the place of beginning, containing seventy acres. (See Carroll County deed records, Vol. 53, Page 556). The consideration paid for this farm was \$280.00. Upon this farm Julius C. Hart and family resided until 1853.

In 1833 Carroll County was created by the Legislature of Ohio, and Augusta Township of Columbiana County, was transferred to Carroll County. Under date of Oct. 12, 1833, Julius C. Hart purchased from the sheriff of Columbiana County two other tracts of land lying in the same quarter section in Augusta Township, one located in the northeast quarter of the section containing 110 acres, and the other in the southeast quarter of the section containing twenty acres. (See deed records of Carroll County, Vol. 4, Page 713). The seventy acres above described, which was the Hart home, was located about three miles southwest of the Village of Augusta in Carroll County and less than a mile immediately west of Pattersonville, otherwise called Augusta Station. The farm has since been known as the Ithamer Mills farm.

Under date of July 1, 1845, Julius C. Hart, joined by his wife, Catherine Hart, deeded this farm and other property to Simeon Jennings for the sum of \$1100. (See deed records of Carroll County, Vol. 9, Page 33.) However, under date of Nov. 15, 1847, Julius C. Hart and Simeon Jennings entered into a contract of lease whereby Jennings leased the home farm theretofore sold to him, to Julius C. Hart for a term of five years, from April 1, 1848 to the last day of March, 1853, at a rental of \$55 per year. (See deed



Julia Marie Hart White—1827-1925
Eldest Child of Julius C. Hart



Grave and Gravestone of Julius C. Hart,
Buckeye Cemetery, Wayne County, Ill.

records of Carroll County, Vol. 10, Page 266). Probably the Hart family continued to reside on this farm from the time they sold it until the lease expired in 1853.

During the twenty eight years from 1825 to 1853, while the Julius C. Hart family resided at or near Augusta, its members were in close touch and acquaintance with the members of the John Swift Hart and Julia Maria Hart Milner families, both residing near Salineville, a distance of about twelve miles from Augusta. Here in Carroll County for almost thirty years Julius C. Hart, incidentally a farmer, but by profession a teacher, continued his work as an outstanding educator.

However, in the early part of 1853, Julius C. Hart and his entire family moved from Carroll County, Ohio, to a farm near Lamard Prairie (later Jeffersonville) five miles north of Fairfield, Wayne County in southeastern Illinois, where he and his family became pioneer settlers and where he at once became an outstanding citizen of the community.

In the early days of emigration and pioneer settlement in central United States, it frequently happened that a number of families from the same general community would move to the same general locality in the new country. This apparently applied to the western trek of the Hart family. Wayne and Monroe counties in New York, where the Hart family sojourned after emigrating from Connecticut, are contiguous counties. Likewise are the counties of Wayne and Monroe in the state of Michigan to which the Philena Hart Sweet family emigrated. Again, Wayne and Monroe counties in the state of Illinois, while not contiguous, are neighboring counties in southern Illinois and to this community many New York families from Wayne and Monroe counties in that state emigrated including the Julius C. Hart family. In fact, many of the names of the towns in these western counties are the same as the names of towns in the older Wayne and Monroe counties of New York.

During the lives of the immediate children of Silas Hart and Phila Swift Hart, occasional correspondence passed between the members of the family, but as the original members passed in death, the correspondence ceased and the families became almost completely lost to each other for almost a century. The correspondence incident to the preparation of this history of the Silas Hart family has rediscovered the lost members of the family and will bring them again in touch with each other. The editor of this history has been able to uncover two interesting letters which were written in the Civil War years by Catherine Carroll Hart, widow of Julius Caesar Hart, to her sister-in-law, Prudence Clark Hart, wife of John Swift Hart when the first letter was written and his widow when the second was written. The letters are as follows:

“Lamard Prairie, January 22nd, 1863.

“Dear Sister:—

“It is with pleasure I take my pen in hand to inform you that we are all well at the present and hope this may find you enjoying the the same blessing. I received a letter from you and Benjamin a few days ago and was glad to hear from you once more, though sorry to learn that John is feeble in his old days.

“My daughter, Amy Skelton, died of congestive fever the 10th day of January, leaving two children, a girl and a boy. The young-

est one is five years old. She wished me to take care of them. I have them here now and it makes a good bit of hard work for me, though I am stout enough considering my age.

"I have not had a letter from John Hart, (son in the army), for two weeks but I suppose he is yet at Helena, Arkansas.

"Maria Russell was married about four years ago to a widower named William White. She has one boy (Julius Edwin White) nearly three years old. She still has Homer (Russell) with her. Her husband has three children by his first wife. The two boys are in the army and his daughter is married, so she has no children but her own to do for. I had a letter from Mary Day and little William last Saturday. They were well. Her husband (John Franklin Day) is captain in the army. Maria's man (William White) and Elizabeth's man (William Rutger) got a discharge and they are at home now. Samantha's man (John Coburn) is not married yet. He is in the Company that John is in. Margaret's man (Thomas A. Brown) is in the infantry company. She is at home with me. She has but one child two years old.

"The health of the neighborhood is generally good. I believe I would like for you to write about Joseph Carroll's and also William Milner's folks. I have not heard from them for a long time. Please write and tell me about them and your own children.

"Times are pretty hard here. Produce is low price and what a person has to get of the merchants is very high. Wheat is 70c per bushel, corn 25c per bushel, dried apples \$1.25 per bushel, peaches \$2.00 per bushel, butter 12½c per pound, eggs 10c per dozen. Groceries are high. Coffee is 40c per pound, tea is \$1.80 per pound, muslin is 30c per yard and calico is 20c per yard. We raised plenty of wheat and corn to do us and had some pork to sell. Pork is low. It sells at \$3.00 per hundred weight.

"I believe I have told you all for the present so I will close my letter by saying I still remain,

"Your affectionate sister,
"CATHARINE HART."

"TO PRUDENCE HART."

"Lamard Prairie, Wayne County, Ill.,
"November 24th, 1863.

"Dear Sister:—

"It is with pleasure that I take my pen in hand to inform you that we are all tolerably well at present, although we have had some sickness in the last six weeks. Julius had a hard spell of the milk sickness and as soon as he was able to go around a little, Sarah Catherine was taken down in about the same way and was pretty bad but she is now able to go to school.

"Margaret Brown died the 25th of last June. She was confined the eleventh day of March and never got stout. Her babe was as fine a little boy as I ever saw until a short time before she died it got very sick and every effort to save it was in vain. The little thing died three days before its mother. Its name was William

Thomas. Margaret's sickness was something like the dropsy. She has left a little girl (Lorinda Brown) which is three years old to-day and I am to keep her till her father gets home from the army.

"Amy Skelton died the tenth day of last January with the bilious congestive fever. She left two children. Her husband did not go to the army. It seems to me that my children are dying off very fast. Of twelve there are but six now living.

"My son-in-law, John F. Day, died last January while in the United States Service. He died at Nashville, Tenn. He was taken home and buried beside his two little children. Mary M., his wife had a little boy last April. She has four children living and two dead. She has moved to Maria White's to live as her children are small and she does not like to live by herself. She has rented her farm out and Maria has plenty of houseroom and has let her have a place to stay as long as she wants to.

"Maria lives a little over four miles from here. She has but one child by this man and he is nearly four years old. His name is Julius Edwin. Homer Russell and his step-father get along very well together.

"My family is not as large as it used to be. I have but three children at home now, Julius, William and Sarah Catherine and my grandchild, Lorinda Brown. John (Hart) is still in the army. I got a letter from him a short time ago. He said he was not very well at that time.

"I am getting along very well now. My boys are very good to me and work very well. John sends his money home to me to use but I expect to give it to him again when he needs it. I believe I have told you all the news at present. Please give my love to all inquiring friends after retaining a good portion to yourself. Maria and Mary send their respects to you and all the friends.

"This leaves me well and I hope it will reach you in due time and find you well and doing well. I remain your affectionate Sister till death,

CATHARINE HART."

"TO MRS. PRUDENCE HART."

Julius C. Hart lived a comparatively brief life dying July 20, 1855, only two years after the family had moved to Illinois, but he had lived a full and successful life as to accomplishments. He had become the father and grandfather of a splendid line of descendants. A brief record of the families of the children of Julius C. Hart follows:

I. Julia Maria Hart (Russell) White was born at Augusta, Ohio, March 9, 1827, being named for her Aunt Julia Maria Hart Milner. She was married first to Samuel Russell to whom she bore one child. Her first husband having died, ten years later she married William White. They also had one child. William White was a member of Co. H. 56th Illinois Infantry in the Civil War. He enlisted Nov. 30, 1861, and was discharged on account of disability as Sergeant on Oct. 2, 1862. He was wounded near Corinth, Miss., and became critically ill. Julia Hart White, his wife, contrary to army regulations and in spite of almost

unsurmountable obstacles secured a pass which was signed by General Rawlings, Adjutant to Gen. U. S. Grant, which permitted her to go within the Union army lines to nurse her husband which she did, and later brought him home. Once, while within the lines, she was under actual fire of the enemy. Mr. White, however, remained an invalid until his death in 1885. He was also a veteran of the Mexican War.

Upon moving to Illinois when a young woman, Julia Maria White became a public school teacher and did outstanding work in that profession. She taught school every year until she was seventy-five years of age, when the school authorities refused to issue her another certificate on account of her age. She lead an active and purposeful life, and attained the remarkable age of ninety-eight years.

II. Mary Magdalene Hart Day, second child of Julius C. Hart and Catherine Carroll Hart was born at Augusta, Ohio, Dec. 21, 1828. She was married to John Franklin Day, who was captain of Co. I, 110 Illinois Volunteer Infantry. He was wounded in the battle of Bull Run by a shell from General Beauregard's troops. He contracted pneumonia and died in the National Hospital at Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 27, 1863. Mary Magdalene Hart Day was the mother of six children.

III. Lyman Hart, named for his uncle, Lyman Hart of Palmyra, N. Y., was born at Augusta, Ohio, Dec. 29, 1830. In 1851 he moved to Paulding County. He first lived at Charloe where he married Hester in 1852. Later he and his wife moved to Paulding, Ohio, where he was a cabinet maker by trade. Lyman Hart and wife had one son who died in infancy. Lyman Hart died suddenly in August, 1855. Only a few weeks before he died he wrote a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius C. Hart who then were residing in Wayne County, Ill. The letter, preserved by the Julius C. Hart family, is as follows:

Julius C. Hart,

Morlan Grove, P. O.,

Wayne County, Ill.

Paulding, Ohio, May the 27 A D 1855.

"Dear Parents: We have been looking a long time for a letter from you, and at last received one on last Friday. It was not dated, but from what you wrote I judge it should have been dated in this month. We are well at present and have been since last fall. About the first of August last, I had an attack of the billious fever, which turned to the chill fever, and from that to the ague. We are glad to hear of you all being in good health, but I fear it is not any healthier there than here where you called it a sickly place. You said you would like to see us, but you could not be better pleased than we would to see you. You said we may not think about you, but I can assure you, that I not only think a great deal about you, but a great deal of you, especially my Mother. To tell you all in a few words, I remember you daily in my prayers. As to religion and morality, they are rather in the back ground. We have preaching in town every two or three weeks by the Methodist and United Brethren. This County is settling up and improving very fast. There are 10 or 12 frame houses going to be built in town this Summer. There are a good number of the Carroll County

folks in this County. The old Democrat, Rev. Joseph Caball, moved here last fall and is living in the same house that we do, until he gets his finished. Philip and Adam Hardesty live six miles from here. Mr. John Close, that used to go to school to Father, married a Miss Weaver and is living four miles from here. She came to visit us yesterday. She said they received letters from Carroll last week and the folks were all well there. Jephtha Hannum is living in this County. There are several talking of coming here this summer. I received a letter from Uncle William Milner, dated Jan. 1st. He says they have hard times there. Crops were very poor last summer, and Yellow Creek was as dry as a hearthstone. Maria has never written to me yet. I am glad to hear of her good health and well being. If it was so that we could come to see you in harvest we would like it much, but my engagements are such that we can not possibly come so soon. We will try to arrange matters so as to come this fall. However, we will write again before long. As for moving to Illinois, I have got used to this County and think we had better stay here. If Maria should come to see you this summer it would not take her long nor cost her much to go back this way. She could come on the cars to Ft. Wayne, Indiana, then in the packet within four miles of Paulding. Tell her we would be glad to see her.

There is not so much drinking here as there used to be. The liquor law has been put in force and shut up a great many grog shops, which is a great benefit and blessing to a great many poor children and broken hearted women.

It was a very hard winter here but stock wintered well. In the Western Reserve, hundreds of cattle died for want of feed. In the eastern counties of this state hundreds of cattle and hogs, and thousands of sheep died for want of feed. Some farmers lost their whole flocks of sheep amounting to 500 or more. The drouth last summer did not hurt the crops in northwestern Ohio like it did in other parts of the State, but the weavil took nearly all the wheat before it was ripe.

I still remember my Father's motto and endeavour to be working or reading or improving in useful Arts & Sciences. I spend my spare hours in reading which I take a great delight in. I have a hope that reaches beyond the grave, and if we should never see each other's faces again on earth, may you one and all endeavour to live so that when death shall overtake you, you can leave that bright evidence behind, that Sister Elizabeth (Rutger) did. Her last words were "All is peace and joy divine, And Heaven and glory now are mine. All is well, all is well." Write to us soon and let us know how many of you are trying to serve the Lord, and who are not. Please write soon as we would like to hear from you before we write again. From your unworthy Son and Daughter-in-law,

Lyman Hart, and Hester T. Hart.

(P. S.) Please direct your letters to Paulding."

Note: Julius C. Hart, the father, died within two months after this letter was written.

IV. Elizabeth Fimple Hart Rutger, was born at Augusta, Ohio, Dec. 10, 1832. She married William Rutger who was a member of Co. M. 5th Illinois Cavalry in the Civil War. He enlisted Oct. 8, 1861, and was discharged as first Sergeant July 1, 1863. Elizabeth Fimple Hart was the mother of one child, Mary Catherine Rutger Landrus, and was the grandmother of seven children. Her great grandson is Jesse I. Linder, a lawyer, residing and practicing law at Gove City, Kan.

V. Amy Hart Skelton was born at Augusta, Ohio, March 11, 1835; died in Wayne County, Illinois, Jan. 10, 1863. She was married and had two children.

VI. Alice Hart Denny was born in Carroll County, Ohio, Jan. 22, 1837; was married to Alfred Denny and died in Wayne County, Illinois, in 1856.

VII. Samantha Hart Coburn was born at Augusta, O., March 12, 1889, and died June 20, 1857. She was married to John Coburn who was a member of Co. M. 5th Illinois Cavalry in the Civil War. He enlisted Sept. 7, 1861, and was discharged as Quarter Master Sergeant, Jan. 26, 1864.

VIII. John Swift Hart, named for his uncle, John Swift Hart of Ohio, was born at Augusta, Ohio, May 21, 1841, and moved to Illinois in 1853. He was a member of Co. M. 5th Illinois Cavalry in the Civil War, enlisting Nov. 22, 1861, and being mustered out Dec. 17, 1864. He moved to Polk County, Oregon in 1885, and to Benton County, Oregon, in 1904. He was married to Minerva Jane Neal of Long Prairie, Illinois, April 5, 1868, and died at Falls City, Oregon, Jan. 14, 1926. He and his wife were the parents of eight children.

The Falls City, Oregon newspaper, in giving account of the death and funeral of John Swift Hart, said:

"John S. Hart was a man of sterling worth and character, having high standards of religion and never shirking his obligations to his church, his country or whatever community in which he resided. He became a member of the Christian Church more than fifty years ago, serving as elder of the church and always taking an active part in the church and Sunday school affairs, being Superintendent of the Sunday school at Bridgeport for a long time. He had served as a justice of the peace in Illinois.

"At the beginning of the Civil War, Mr. Hart, true to his convictions, and not shirking responsibility, enlisted in Co. M. 5th Illinois Cavalry, serving in all three years, one month and a day, and seeing active service under Grant, Logan and Sherman. He served through many engagements, being present at the surrender of Vicksburg.

"John S. Hart was a man of lovable disposition, endearing himself to all with whom he associated, and beloved of children and grandchildren. During his last illness he was patient in suffering, thoughtful of others, and looking forward to being reunited with his beloved wife, from whom the separation of the two years since her death was the first.

"Funeral services were held in Corvallis, Oregon, Saturday, Jan. 16, at Bovee's undertaking parlors, with interment at the Philomath Cemetery, where he was laid to rest beside his wife. Rev. A. H. Dodd, a friend of many years, conducted the services, reading as the lesson the Nineteenth Psalm, which was the favorite of Mr. Hart and which he had recited to the family shortly before falling asleep in his final rest.

"All eight of his children were present at the services, as well as many of the grandchildren, and a large number of other relatives and friends."

The eldest child of John Swift Hart and Minerva J. Neal was Julius Newton Hart, who was born at Jeffersonville, Ill., May 13, 1869, and died at Portland, Oregon, Feb. 19, 1939. When sixteen years of age he moved with his father's family on a farm near Dallas, Oregon. He attended school and taught school at Dallas for several years. He was graduated from the old La Creole Academy there in 1889, and also studied at Oregon Normal School at Monmouth. In 1896 he was elected Polk County school superintendent. Before this, however, he had studied a year at the University of Oregon Law School in Portland and in 1895 had been admitted to the bar.

In 1900 he was elected district attorney of the third judicial district, then composed of Polk, Linn, Tillamook and Yamhill counties. In 1904 he moved to Baker and established a law practice. Two years later he was elected state senator. In 1912 he moved to Portland to practice law and had lived there since. He was a member of the York Rite Masons, Odd Fellows, Kiwanis Club and Progressive Business Men's Club.

Julius Newton Hart is survived by his widow Goine Dempsey Hart, a daughter, Hallie Hart, who is a teacher in the Portland schools and a son, Julius Harold Hart, residing at Multnomah, Oregon.

The second child and son of John Swift Hart is Silas William Hart, a successful farmer and stock raiser, who still resides at Philomath, Oregon. He and his wife, Rae Edna, are the parents of seven children and numerous grandchildren.

Besides the two sons above named, John Swift Hart and his wife were the parents of six daughters. Florence Hart Grant is the wife of David Jackson Grant, a retired merchant of Falls City, Oregon. Their daughter, Mabel, is the wife of Rev. Charles S. Poling, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Long Beach, California. Their daughter, Mildred, is the wife of Henry H. Hartley, who is superintendent of schools at Nyssa, Oregon, and their son, David Jackson Grant, Jr., is a lawyer at Marshfield, Oregon.

Loretta Hart Starr is the wife of Harie Eugene Starr who is foreman in a large planing mill at Valsetz, Oregon. Their son, Eugene, is professor of electrical engineering at Oregon State College while their son, Paul, is a physician and surgeon at Clatskanie, Oregon.

Emiline Elizabeth Hart is the wife of Edwin S. Rich who is proprietor of a large grocery at Salem, Oregon. Another daughter of John Swift Hart and wife is Julia Maria Hart Turner who is the mother of four children. Samantha Swift Hart is the wife of Clarence Otis Fos-

ter, a locomotive engineer. They are the parents of four children. The youngest, Robert Otis Foster, is an officer at the U. S. Naval Training Station at San Diego, Calif. Alberta Hart, the youngest child of John Swift Hart and wife, is the wife of Lloyd F. Hyde. Their oldest son, John, is employed in the U. S. Postoffice at Corvallis, Oregon.

IX. Margaret Hart Brown was born at Augusta, Ohio, in 1843. She was married to Thomas A. Brown who was a member of Co. K. 111th Illinois Infantry in the Civil War. He enlisted Aug. 21, 1862, and was discharged June 7, 1865.

X. Julius Caesar Hart, Jr., was born at Augusta, Ohio, Sept. 3, 1846. He died at Medford, Oregon, Oct. 5, 1931.

XI. William Milner Hart, named for his uncle by marriage, William Milner, was born at Augusta, Ohio, Jan. 12, 1849. He was married to Sophia Elizabeth Brown. They were the parents of four children, the youngest of whom is Dr. William Guy Hart, a dentist and prominent citizen at Fairfield, Illinois.

XII. Sarah Catherine Hart Neal, the youngest child of Julius C. Hart and Catherine Carroll Hart was born at Augusta, Ohio, March 8, 1852. She first married Willis Artman. To this union one child was born, Elizabeth Artman Pierson, who became the mother of twelve children. Sarah Catherine Hart married second, Francis Arthur Neal and to this union five children were born.

F. JULIUS CAESAR HART—FAMILY CHART

Julius Caesar Hart, born at Palmyra, N. Y., April 30, 1799; died in Wayne County, Illinois, July 20, 1855; married in 1825 to Catherine Carroll who was born in Cumberland County, Penn., Aug. 29, 1807, and who died in Wayne County, Ill., Jan. 26, 1884.

I. JULIA MARIA HART (RUSSELL) WHITE, born near Canton, Ohio, March 9, 1827; died at Fairfield, Wayne County, Ill., March 18, 1925; married first to Samuel Russell, Dec. 28, 1848; married second Feb. 26, 1859, to William White of Wayne County, Ill., who died Aug. 14, 1885.

1. Napoleon Homer Russell, born near Canton, Ohio, about 1850; died March 29, 1904.

2. Julius Edwin White, born in Wayne County, Ill., Jan. 31, 1860; died at Carbondale, Colo., April 15, 1925; married Dec. 22, 1887, to Adella Scott, who was born Aug. 22, 1861, and who died May 24, 1930.

(a) Julia Katherine White Robison, born Dec. 3, 1888; married Dec. 22, 1911, to Henry W. Robison, who was born Jan. 20, 1884, and who died Jan. 3, 1940. Residence, Glenwood Springs, Colo.

(aa) Henry Edwin Robison, born March 13, 1913. Residence, Glenwood Springs, Colo.

(bb) Clifford Donald Robison, born May 30, 1917; died Feb. 24, 1924.

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(cc) Alvin LeRoy Robison, born Feb. 4, 1925. Residence, Glenwood Springs, Colo.

II. MARY MAGDALENE HART DAY, born in Columbiana County, Ohio, Dec. 21, 1828; died at Texarkana, Texas, June 17, 1904; married April 14, 1853, to John Franklin Day of Wayne County, Ill., who was born Aug. 15, 1827; and who died Feb. 27, 1863.

1. Isaac Newton Day, born Jan. 29, 1854; died July 21, 1854.

2. Mary Catherine Day Secrest born May 29, 1856; died Aug. 16, 1911; married April, 1874, to Louis Philip Secrest, who was born Aug. 17, 1853, and who died Feb. 18, 1920.

(a) John Franklin Secrest, born Aug. 11, 1875; died July 13, 1935; married Jan. 3, 1900, to Sarah Galligar, who was born Feb. 1874. Residence, 1210 North Calhoun St., Decatur, Illinois.

(aa) Irene Secrest, born Dec. 15, 1900.

(b) William Roberston Secrest, born May 3, 1878. Residence, Rocky Ford, Colo.

(c) Charles Secrest. Residence, Niantic, Ill.

(d) Laura May Secrest Smith, born Nov. 11, 1884; married May 23, 1916, to Bert Smith, born July 6, 1883. Residence, 5119 West 38th Ave., Denver, Colo.

(e) Minnie Secrest Graham, born Aug. 14, 1890; married Feb. 1908, to Thomas Graham. Residence, Arrowsmith, Ill. (Have seven children).

(f) Clemie Secrest Bowlds, born May 20, 1893; married June 3, 1916, to Leo Bowlds, born Feb. 22, 1893. Residence, Gilbert, Ia.

(aa) Leo Bowlds, Jr., born Nov. 27, 1918.

(g) Louis Hershel Secrest, born May 3, 1898; married 1920 to Nellie Moore. Residence, 1344 E. Moore St., Decatur, Ill.

(aa) Mary Jane Secrest, born Sept. 1922.

(bb) Norma Jean Secrest, born Sept. 1929.

3. Louisa Margaret Day, born Feb. 27, 1858; died May 4, 1865.

4. Charles Lambert Day, born Jan. 14, 1860; died Sept. 15, 1860.

5. Benjamin Franklin Day, born 1861; married first Dec. 25, 1881, to Sarah Jane Walker, who was born Dec. 23, 1862; and who died June 6, 1889.

(a) John Franklin Day, born Sept. 16, 1882; married Aug. 14, 1905, to Margaret O'Brien, born Jan. 29, 1886. Residence, 1876 Stanley Ave., Long Beach, Calif.

(aa) Kathleen Day Galbreth Lopez, born June 3, 1906; married April 6, 1926, to Jero Arthur Galbreth, who was born July 1907.

(aaa) Roland Morgan Galbreth, born Sept. 7, 1929.

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(bbb) Darlene Evon Galbreth, born March 10, 1932.

NOTE: Kathleen Day Galbreth, married second, Jan. 21, 1936, to Cecil Jose Suarezzy Lopez.

(aaa) Cecil Jose Suarezzy, Jr., born Dec. 3, 1937.

(bb) Glen James Day, born Jan. 27, 1908; married Jan. 5, 1926, to Frances Combs, who was born May 1909.

(aaa) John Franklin Day, born Nov. 26, 1926.

NOTE: Glen James Day married second, to Shirley Florence Thatcher, who was born March 26, 1914.

(cc) Benjamin Franklin Day, born Sept. 6, 1909; married Nov. 7, 1927, to Faye Irene Hitchcock, who was born June 27, 1906.

(aaa) Norman Kathleen Day, born Aug. 3, 1928.

(b) Clara Day Peters, born April 3, 1886; married to C. F. Peters.

NOTE: Benjamin Franklin Day, married second, April 2, 1889, to Sarah Martha White, born Sept. 5, 1871.

(c) Avia Saphronia Day Blankenship, born May 10, 1890; married Feb. 14, 1906, to Gentry Thomas Blankenship, born Jan. 9, 1877. Residence, Box 1106, Quincy, Calif. Route 2, Box 288, DeRidder, La.

(aa) Gentry Thomas Blankenship, Jr., born Jan. 29, 1907; married Sept. 2, 1932, to Luella Mae Turner, born Nov. 16, 1910. Residence, Route 1, Box 15, Chico, Calif.

(aaa) Thomas Turner Blankenship, born Nov. 15, 1933.

(bbb) Daisy Avia Blankenship, born March 25, 1938.

(ccc) Mary Sue Blankenship, born Dec. 4, 1939.

(bb) O. B. Blankenship, born Sept. 17, 1908; died June 29, 1909.

(cc) Lillian Delphene Blankenship Lilly Loomis, born Sept. 26, 1910; married Aug. 7, 1926, to Russell Vanford Lilly. Divorced Dec. 14, 1928.

(aaa) Gentry Geraldine Lilly, born Oct. 25, 1928.

NOTE: Lillian Delphene Lilly Loomis, married second, Nov. 6, 1935, to Roy Dean Loomis, born Sept. 2, 1891. Residence, 442 Broadway, Chico, Calif.

(bbb) Mae Marline Loomis, born Sept. 17, 1937.

(d) Wesley Norman Day, born April 22, 1894, at Winona, Missouri; married July 13, 1918, to Glatys Audrey Cobb,

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who was born April 11, 1902, at Mayflower, Texas. Residence Route 4, Box 133 D., Beaumont, Tex.

(aa) Lexie Eugenia Day Harris, born Dec. 25, 1919, at Wiergate, Texas; married June 9, 1934, to John Leonard Harris, who was born April 26, 1911, at Bon Ami, La.

(aaa) John Leonard Harris, Jr., born April 2, 1936.

(bb) Worthie Ezekiel Day, born Nov. 12, 1921, at Wiergate, Texas, died April 13, 1924, at Newton, Texas.

(cc) Glatis Nelda Day, born Aug. 14, 1925, at McNary, Arizona.

(dd) Norman Kenneth Day, born Oct. 16, 1929.

(e) Herbert Leo Day, Sr., born May 24, 1900, Texarkana, Texas; married June 14, 1921, to Valley Bertha Hayes, born Aug. 14, 1901. Residence, P. O. Box 25, Rochelle, La.

(aa) Herbert Leo Day, Jr., born Aug. 3, 1922.

(bb) Joe Thomas Day, born May 24, 1924.

(cc) Lee Franklin Day, born Oct. 9, 1927.

(dd) James Clayton Day, born Jan. 9, 1934.

(f) Rachel Cleo Day Cooper, born Aug. 3, 1902; married May 18, 1918, to Joseph Robert Cooper, born June 4, 1896. Residence, 2837 Darien St., Shreveport, La.

(aa) Gentry Maxine Cooper, born July 3, 1919.

(bb) Avia Geraldine Cooper, born March 11, 1924.

(g) Naomie Day Peters. Residence, 1010 Pope St., Beaumont, Texas. Born Dec. 8, 1907; married May 20, 1925, to Julian R. T. Peters, who was born Aug. 25, 1905.

(aa) Julian R. T. Peters, Jr., born July 6, 1926.

(bb) Shirley Alma Peters, born March 6, 1929.

6. John Hart Day, born April 20, 1863; died Aug. 14, 1864.

III. LYMAN HART, born Dec. 29, 1830, at Augusta, Ohio; died Aug. 1855, at Paulding, Ohio; married to Hester _____, and had one son, who died in infancy.

IV. ELIZABETH FIMPLE HART RUTGER, born at Augusta, Ohio, Dec. 10, 1832; died in Wayne County, Ill., Sept. 16, 1854; married to William Rutger.

1. Mary Catherine Rutger Landrus, born in Wayne County, Ill., Aug. 17, 1855; died March 30, 1919; married at Paradise, Ill., Dec. 19, 1872, to Ithael Landrus who was born in Crawford County, Indiana, Dec. 20, 1846, and who died Sept. 26, 1917, at Gove, Kan.

(a) William Joshna Landrus, born in Wise County, Texas, Nov. 5, 1873; died in Kansas, Dec. 5, 1874.

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(b) Jessie May Landrus Linder, born Jan. 30, 1876, near Mattoon, Ill., died Jan. 1, 1902; married Sept. 30, 1897, to Dr. A. Edward Linder, who was born in Switzerland, Dec. 2, 1870, and who died Dec. 27, 1913.

(aa) Jesse I. Linder, born Dec. 26, 1901; married April 23, 1940, to Lenora Ann Smith, who was born May 9, 1915. Residence, Gove City, Kan.

(aaa) Janet Grace Linder, born Feb. 20, 1941.

(c) Lois Elizabeth Landrus Pearce, born Nov. 27, 1877, in Coles County, Ill.; married 1901 to Cecil F. Pearce of Cisne, Ill., who was born in Butler County, Kansas, Nov. 28, 1878. Residence, Gove City, Kansas.

(aa) Byronia Adelia Pearce Burnett, born near Cisne, Ill., Aug. 20, 1902; married May 26, 1932, to Robert Burnett of Tribune, Kansas. Residence, Scott City, Kan.

(aaa) Harold Robert Burnett, born April 22, 1934.

(bb) Charles Cecil Pearce, born near Cisne, Ill., Sept. 9, 1904; married Aug. 20, 1933, to Lola Bailey of Springfield, Mo.

(aaa) Lellia Belle Pearce, born Aug. 4, 1934.

(bbb) Beverly Elizabeth Pearce, born June 14, 1938.

(cc) Lorane Elizabeth Pearce Fustin, born near Cisne, Ill., June 7, 1907; married April 25, 1931, to Harlin Fustin of Gove, Kansas.

(aaa) Bernice Fustin, born at Gove, Kansas, June 23, 1932.

(bbb) Carlyon Fustin, born at Gove, Kansas, Oct. 20, 1934.

(ccc) Richard Fustin, born at Gove, Kansas, Sept. 15, 1937.

(dd) Velma Lois Pearce Evans, born near Cisne, Ill., Oct. 30, 1911; married Nov. 26, 1931, to Frank Evans. Residence, Gove, Kan.

(aaa) Leland Evans, born July 16, 1933.

(bbb) Sandra Lois Evans, born May 15, 1936.

(ccc) Thomas Cecil Evans, born Dec. 6, 1940.

(ee) Frank Kenneth Pearce, born in Gove, Kan., Oct. 23, 1918; married June 2, 1940, to Louise Evans. Residence, Gove, Kansas.

(aaa) Cecil William Pearce Jr., born May 23, 1941.

(d) Julius Edward Landrus born at Mattoon, Ill., Aug. 20, 1881; died May 3, 1925, at Pueblo, Colo.

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(e) Luther Kenneth Landrus, born in Desoto, Mo., Dec. 10, 1883. (married). Resides, Raleigh, N. C.

(f) Zora Maude Landrus born at Desota, Mo., May 10, 1886.

(g) Harry Orestas Landrus, born at St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 23, 1891; married in 1915 to Retta Hockensmith. Residence, Blanchard, Idaho.

(aa) Merlin Landrus, born July 29, 1917.

(bb) Wilford Landrus, born June 5, 1918.

(cc) Earl Walter Landrus.

(dd) Katherine Landrus, born 1931.

V. AMY HART SKELTON, born at Augusta, Ohio, March 11, 1835; died Jan. 10, 1863; married Feb. 2, 1854, to James Skelton, born Oct. 11, 1833, who died July 25, 1886. Children

1. Cynthia Skelton Rickard, born Dec. 12, 1854; died Jan. 1, 1896; married Nov. 20, 1879, to John Rickard who was born April 23, 1855, and who died April 6, 1930.

(a) Loren Rickard, born Oct. 5, 1880; died June 17, 1885.

(b) Dennie Rickard, born Aug. 13, 1882; married May 3, 1904, to Lena Aune. Residence, Colchester, Ill. Children:

(aa) Morris Rickard

(bb) Joseph Rickard

(cc) Robert Rickard

(c) Clara Rickard Harris, born Oct. 30, 1883; married to Orville B. Harris. Residence, Edinburg, Illinois.

(d) Charles E. Rickard, born July 25, 1885; married Dec. 1, 1914, to Myrtle Baumgartner. Residence, R. R. 2, Harlingen, Texas.

(e) Perry A. Rickard, born Nov. 3, 1887, at Fairfield, Ill. Married June 1, 1910, to Clara Lindsey, born March 23, 1887. Residence, 204 Sibley Ave., Fairfield, Illinois.

(aa) Ethel Rickard Keith, born Feb. 17, 1911; married Sept. 14, 1938, to Lewis Keith, who was born Oct. 14, 1909. Residence, 510 West Center St., Fairfield, Ill.

(aaa) Martha Frances Keith, born April 6, 1941.

(bb) Allen Rickard, born May 28, 1918. Married Jan. 1, 1942, to Vivian Tripp. In U. S. Army, Fort Bliss, Tex.

(cc) Glen Rickard, born April 9, 1925.

(ee) Donald Rickard, born June 13, 1929.

(f) James P. Rickard, born Dec. 14, 1889; married to Minnie Winn. Residence, Heyworth, Ill. Children:

(aa) Warren Rickard

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(bb) Faye Rickard

(cc) Effie Rickard

(g) Joseph Rickard, born Aug. 15, 1891, died Nov. 9, 1898.

2. Alfred Denny Skelton, born at Jeffersonville, Ill., June 14, 1858; died Aug. 1, 1927.

VI. ALICE HART DENNY, born at Augusta, O., Jan. 22, 1837; died in Wayne County, Illinois in 1856; married to Alfred Denny.

VII. SAMANTHA HART COBURN, born at Augusta, Ohio, March 12, 1839; died June 20, 1857; married to John Coburn.

VIII. JOHN SWIFT HART, born at Augusta, O., May 21, 1841; died at Falls City, Oregon, Jan. 14, 1926; married April 5, 1868, to Minerva Jane Neal, who was born at Long Prairie, Illinois, April 5, 1846, and who died at Benton County, Oregon, Feb. 22, 1924.

1. Julius Newton Hart, born May 13, 1869, at Jeffersonville, Wayne County, Illinois; died Feb. 19, 1939, at Portland Oregon; married Dec. 21, 1890, to Goine Dempsey, who was born Dec. 18, 1868, at Ricorall, Polk County, Oregon. Residence, 5764 N. E. Rodney Ave., Portland, Oregon.

(a) Julius Harold Hart, born at Portland, Oregon, Jan. 16, 1892; married July 17, 1921, to Dorothy Canfield, who was born at Denver, Colo., Feb. 24, 1897, and who died at Dallas, Oregon, Oct. 22, 1933. Residence, Multnomah, Oregon.

(aa) Dorothy Irene Hart, born at Juneau, Alaska, Nov. 9, 1924. Residence, Multnomah, Oregon.

(bb) John Newton Hart, born at Juneau, Alaska, Feb. 12, 1928. Residence, Multnomah, Oregon.

(cc) Harold Canfield Hart, born at Juneau, Alaska, Aug. 1, 1929. Residence, Multnomah, Oregon.

(dd) Patricia Ann Hart, born at Nome, Alaska, June 19, 1931. Residence, Multnomah, Oregon.

NOTE: Julius Harold Hart, married second, June 28, 1935, to Helen Davis. Residence, Multnomah, Oregon.

(b) Hallie Ruth Hart, born at Falls City, Oregon, Nov. 2, 1893. Residence, 5764 N. E. Rodney Ave., Portland, Oregon.

2. Silas William Hart, born at Jeffersonville, Wayne County, Ill., Jan. 20, 1871; married Oct. 23, 1900, to Rae Edna Harmon who was born at Salem, Oregon, Jan. 23, 1833. Residence, Philomath, Oregon.

(a) Helene Veva Hart Hunt, born at Monmouth, Oregon, Aug. 19, 1901; married August 1918, to Leonard Hunt who was born in 1896. Residence, Philomath, Oregon.

(aa) Maxine Margaret Hunt Bush, born June 19, 1919;

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married Aug. 14, 1938, to Robert E. Bush. Residence, 1925 Z. 1—Kalia Road, Honolulu, Hawaii.

(aaa) Robert Bush, Jr., born Jan. 10, 1941. Residence, Honolulu, Hawaii.

(b) Gale Andres Hart, born at Philomath, Oregon, Jan. 10, 1905; married July 1929, to Marjoria Irene Millard, who was born at Weedland, Washington, July 13, 1910. Residence, Philomath, Oregon.

(c) Alice Hart Adams, born at Philomath, Oregon, Dec. 28, 1907; married Jan. 1, 1924, to Edward William Adams, who was born at Alsea, Benton County, Oregon, May 6, 1900. Residence, Philomath, Oregon.

(aa) Jean Jacqueline Adams, born at Philomath, Oregon, Oct. 12, 1924. Residence, Philomath, Oregon.

(bb) Ivan Edward Adams, born at Corvallis, Oregon, Jan. 13, 1931. Residence, Philomath, Oregon.

(d) Daniel Silas Hart, born at Philomath, Oregon, Nov. 4, 1910; married April 1933, to Lavera Bennett, who was born at Falls City, Oregon, April 1913. Residence, Philomath, Oregon.

(aa) Danny Eugene Hart, born at Philomath, Oregon, May 10, 1935. Residence, Philomath, Oregon.

(bb) Diane Hart, born at Philomath, Oregon, April 1938. Residence, Philomath, Oregon.

(e) Doris Pauline Hart Shroyer, born at Philomath, Oregon, May 22, 1912; married Oct. 12, 1929, to Gail Shroyer, who was born in 1910. Residence, Philomath, Oregon.

(aa) Louise Shroyer, born April 3, 1934.

(bb) Gerald Shroyer, born Nov. 24, 1935.

(cc) James William Shroyer, born Jan. 9, 1937.

(dd) Jack Steven Shroyer, born Jan. 6, 1940.

(f) Margaret Evangeline Hart Kruger, born at Philomath, Oregon, Oct. 27, 1916; married Dec. 20, 1934, to K. C. Kruger, who was born in Maine, in 1911. Residence, 1053 W. Avenue, Corvallis, Oregon.

(aa) Richard Kruger, born at Corvallis, Oregon, Oct. 1935.

(bb) Sandra Joy Kruger, born at Corvallis, Oregon, Sept. 5, 1937.

(g) Betty Jane Hart, born at Philomath, Oregon, Nov. 13, 1924. Residence, Philomath, Oregon.

3. Florence Frances Hart Grant, born at Geff, Wayne County, Ill., May 9, 1873; married Nov. 8, 1893, to David Jackson Grant.

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who was born at Falls City, Oregon, Aug. 23, 1867. Residence, Falls City, Oregon.

(a) Mabel Grant Poling, born March 9, 1895; married to Rev. Charles S. Poling, who was born July 23, 1914. Residence, 3608 Lemon Ave., Long Beach, Cal. (adopted children).

(aa) James Robert Grant, born Feb. 22, 1921.

(bb) Priscilla Jane Grant, born Feb. 16, 1926.

(b) Hugh Hart Grant, born Sept. 29, 1899; died April 30, 1904.

(c) Mildred Alice Hartley, born Nov. 28, 1904; married June 8, 1929, to Henry W. Hartley. Residence, Nyssa, Oregon.

(aa) Robert Grant Hartley, born March 10, 1934.

(bb) David Henry Hartley, born April 6, 1937.

(d) David Jackson Grant, Jr., born Sept. 22, 1911; married May 21, 1938, to Virginia Conrad. Residence, Marshfield, Oregon.

(aa) Robert Conrad Grant, born Oct. 19, 1939.

4. Loretta Alice Hart Starr, born in Wayne County, Ill., Feb. 19, 1875; married Oct. 17, 1900, to Harie Eugene Starr, who was born in San Jose, California, April 11, 1875. Residence, Valsetz, Oregon.

(a) Eugene Carl Starr, born at Falls City, Oregon, Aug. 6, 1901.

(b) Paul Hart Starr, born at Falls City, Oregon, July 31, 1908; married Sept. 1, 1932, to Helen Drusen, who was born at Corvallis, Oregon, Sept. 5, 1908. Residence, Clatskanie, Oregon.

(aa) William Harie Starr, born at Clatskanie, Oregon, Feb. 22, 1938.

(bb) Lorraine Alice Starr, born at Clatskanie, Oregon, Aug. 6, 1939.

5. Emaline Elizabeth Hart Rich, born at Geff, Wayne County, Ill., Feb. 4, 1877; married Aug. 30, 1904, to Edwin S. Rich who was born in Wisconsin, March 31, 1881. Residence, Salem, Ore.

(a) Kenneth Rich, born at Salem, Oregon, Nov. 19, 1906; married to Jean Hobson, who was born May 26, 1907. Residence, Salem, Oregon.

6. Julia Maria Hart Turner, born at Springfield, Wayne County, Ill., Jan. 23, 1879; married April 12, 1940, to John Clyde Turner who was born at Airlie, Oregon, May 7, 1876, and who died at Portland, Oregon, Oct. 25, 1928. Residence, Tautle, Wash.

(a) Thelma Louise Turner Copeland, born at Monmouth, Ore-

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gon, Feb. 21, 1901; married to Vinton Henry Copeland. Residence, 4821 N. E. Flanders, Portland, Oregon.

(aa) Jack Verl Copeland, born Aug. 31, 1921. Residence, Kennewick, Wash.

(bb) Margaret Ann Copeland, born April 5, 1923. Residence, Kelo, Wash.

(cc) Bettie Jane Copeland, born Dec. 25, 1924. Residence, Kennewick, Wash.

(b) Dorothy Gwyndolin Hanson, born at Falls City, Oregon, Aug. 21, 1904; married Aug. 31, 1925, to Carl Loyal Hanson, who was born at Spring Lake, Wis., March 17, 1903. Residence, 234 Twenty-third St., Longoe, Wash.

(aa) Robert Dean Hanson, born Jan. 27, 1930.

(bb) Barbara Jae Hanson, born Aug. 11, 1934.

(cc) James Leonard Hanson, born Oct. 10, 1935.

(c) Theda Charlot Turner Putila, born at Airlie, Oregon, Feb. 14, 1911; married May 7, 1930, to Adolph Gustave Putila who was born at Vancouver, Wash., Nov. 26, 1908. Residence, 4308 S. E., Tacoma, Wash.

(aa) Patricia Dawn Putila, born May 10, 1931.

(bb) Beverly Rae Putila, born March 15, 1935.

(d) John Clyde Turner, born at Kennewick, Wash., June 1, 1923. Residence, Toutle, Wash.

7. Samantha Swift Hart Foster, born at Fairfield, Wayne County, Ill., 1885; married to Clarence Otis Foster, who was born at Springfield, Ill., 1880. Residence, Philomath, Oregon.

(a) Melba Foster Powers, born at Philomath, Oregon, 1914; married to Howard Powers, who was born at Independence, Oregon, in 1915. Residence, Independence, Oregon.

(aa) Gene Raymond Powers born at Jefferson, Oregon. 1937.

(bb) Jacky Leroy Powers, born at Jefferson, Oregon. 1939.

(cc) Clyde Allen Powers, born at Jefferson, Oregon, 1940; died 1940.

(b) Marjory Foster Doubinspeck, born at Philomath, Oregon, 1916; married to Harold Fremont Doubinspeck, who was born at Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, Canada, in 1914. Residence, Tillamook, Oregon.

(aa) Carol Bell Doubinspeck, born at Myrtle Point, Ore.

(bb) Mary Lou Doubinspeck, born at Myrtle Point, Oregon, 1938.

(cc) Clarence Ray Doubinspeck, born at Sutherline, Oregon, 1939.

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(c) Kathryn Foster, born at Philomath, Oregon, in 1919. Residence, 1138 S. Commercial St., Salem, Oregon.

(d) Robert Otis Foster, born at Philomath, Oregon, in 1924. Residence, Co. 41-24 U. S. Naval Training Station, San Diego, California.

8. Alberta Hart Hyde, born at Dallas, Oregon, Sept. 24, 1889; married June 24, 1908, to Lloyd F. Hyde, who was born at Dallas, Oregon, Oct. 28, 1887. Residence, R. R. 3, Sunrise, Albany County, Oregon.

(a) John J. Hyde, born at Philomath, Oregon, May 27, 1909; married Sept. 17, 1928, to Nema L. Berry, who was born at Newport, Oregon, Aug. 6, 1911. Residence, Corvallis, Ore.

(aa) John J. Hyde, Jr., born March 26, 1930. Residence, Corvallis, Oregon.

(bb) Lloyd E. Hyde, born Feb. 24, 1931. Residence, Corvallis, Oregon.

(b) Minerva J. Hyde Hurt, born at Corvallis, Oregon, June 25, 1914; married Oct. 14, 1933, to Francis V. Hurt, who was born at Yaquina, Oregon, Oct. 19, 1909. Residence, 229 North 13th St., Corvallis, Oregon.

(c) E. Louise Hyde Byington, born at Monroe, Oregon, Oct. 22, 1920; married Sept. 26, 1939, to Wayne Y. Byington, who was born at Redwood Falls, Minn., July 2, 1918. Residence, R. R. 3, Sunrise, Albany County, Oregon.

(d) W. Laird Hyde, born at Corvallis, Oregon, Aug. 22, 1923. Residence, Corvallis, Oregon.

IX. MARGARET HART BROWN, born at Augusta, O., Dec. 5, 1843; died in Wayne County, Ill., June 25, 1863; married March 11, 1859, to Thomas Brown, who died May 20, 1900.

1. Lorinda Brown Miller, born at Geff, Ill., Nov. 24, 1860; married Oct. 15, 1879, to William J. Miller, who was born at Honeycreek, Ind., May 27, 1856, and who died Jan. 19, 1925. Residence, Elkhart, Ill.

(a) George Thomas Miller, born at Jeffersonville, Ill., Aug. 31, 1880; married March 28, 1909, to Maude Waller, who was born at Jeffersonville, Ill., Sept. 5, 1880. Residence, Elkhart, Ill.

(aa) Helen Irene Miller Hegele, born at Elkhart, Ill., Nov. 26, 1909; married April 20, 1938, to Ralph Hegele, who was born May 15, 1911. Residence, Lincoln, Ill.

(bb) Russell Thomas Miller, born at Elkhart, Ill., Jan. 11, 1911; married April 20, 1938, to Eileen Kennedy, who was born at Middletown, Ill., April 23, 1919. Residence, Elkhart, Ind.

(cc) Clarence Leroy Miller, born at Elkhart, Ill., Jan. 23, 1913; married Jan. 24, 1934, to Opal Poe who was

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born at Williamsville, Ill., Jan. 10, 1914. Residence, Williamsville, Ill.

(aaa) Clarence LeRoy Miller, Jr., born Nov. 20, 1938.

(bbb) Dean Rodney Miller, born Nov. 29, 1940.

(dd) Everett George Miller, born at Elkhart, Ill., June 19, 1914. Residence, Elkhart, Ill.

(ee) William Amos Miller, born at Elkhart, Ill., Oct. 30, 1916; married March 15, 1941, to Irma June Turner, who was born at Lakeport, Ill., July 22, 1922. Residence, Williamsville, Ill.

(aaa) William Amos Miller, Jr., born March 13, 1942.

(b) Mary Margaret Miller Sias, born at Jeffersonville, Ill., Feb. 12, 1883; died at Mancelona, Mich., Jan. 8, 1933; married to Ashley G. Sias.

(aa) Clifford Sias, born at Elkhart, Ill., Aug. 13, 1905; married Nov. 5, 1925, to Mary Emma Tipton, who was born at Mancelona, Mich., Nov. 6, 1904. Residence, Mancelona, Mich.

(aaa) Evelyn Dolores Sias, born at Mancelona, Mich., Feb. 16, 1928.

(bbb) Lorraine Orthello Sias, born at Mancelona, Mich., May 26, 1930.

(ccc) Alan Kenneth Sias, born at Mancelona, Mich., Oct. 6, 1932.

(ddd) Ronald Richard Sias, born at Mancelona, Mich., Nov. 30, 1934.

(eee) Shirley Darlene Sias, born at Mancelona, Mich., July 28, 1937.

(bb) Thomas Sias, born at Elkhart, Ill., April 4, 1907; married Dec. 28, 1926, to Lovena Alexander who was born at Mancelona, Mich., July 24, 1911. Residence, Mancelona, Mich.

(aaa) Mary Margaret Sias, born at Mancelona, Mich., July 27, 1928.

(bbb) Dorothy Elaine Sias, born at Mancelona, Mich., May 5, 1930; died June 9, 1934.

(ccc) Donald Thomas Sias, born at Mancelona, Mich., June 19, 1935.

(cc) Roy Sias, born at Elkhart, Ill., Dec. 21, 1908; married Dec. 25, 1928, to Sylvia Frances Tipton, who was born at Mancelona, Mich., April 20, 1907. Residence, Mancelona, Mich.

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(aaa) Arvid Paul Sias, born at Mancelona, Mich., March 19, 1930.

(bbb) Della Corrine Sias, born at Mancelona, Mich., Sept. 27, 1932.

(dd) Carl Edgar Sias, born at Elkhart, Illinois, Dec. 15, 1917; married Oct. 24, 1936, to Lillian Ruth Eckler, who was born in Kalkaskia County, Mich., Oct. 27, 1920. Residence, Mancelona, Mich.

(aaa) Ruth Marie Sias, born at Mancelona, Mich., May 1, 1938.

(ee) John William Sias, born at Elkhart, Ill., Feb. 21, 1920. Residence, Elkhart, Ill.

(c) Charles Claude Miller, born at Elkhart, Ill., April 20, 1885; married May 3, 1911, to Mary Ethel Palmer, who was born at Linton, Ind., May 12, 1888. Residence, Springfield, Ill.

(aa) Mary Ellen Miller, born at Springfield, Ill., Jan. 23, 1913.

(bb) Charles Lewis Miller, born at Springfield, Ill., Feb. 1, 1916; died May 28, 1916.

(cc) Milton Palmer Miller, born at Springfield, Ill., Sept. 9, 1917; died May 7, 1918.

(d) William Paul Miller, born at Elkhart, Ill., Feb. 27, 1887; married Jan. 18, 1911, to Anna Florence Brittin, who was born at Williamsville, Ill., Aug. 6, 1890. Residence, Elkhart, Illinois.

(aa) Anna Pauline Miller Dennison, born at Elkhart, Ill., Jan. 30, 1912; married Sept. 4, 1930, to Floyd Earl Dennison, who was born at Williamsville, Ill.

(aaa) William Earl Dennison, born in Sangamon County, Ill., March 19, 1933.

(bbb) Garnet Lee Dennison, born in Sangamon County, Ill., June 30, 1935.

(ccc) Jacqueline Dennison, born in Logan County, Ill., Nov. 9, 1936.

(bb) Lorinda Catherine Miller McFadden, born at Williamsville, Ill., Oct. 31, 1916; married Sept. 25, 1940, to John McFadden, who was born in Menard County, Ill., Dec. 15, 1908.

(cc) Amy Mae Miller, born at Williamsville, Ill., Oct. 3, 1918.

(e) Amy Alice Miller Broughton, born at Elkhart, Ill., Oct. 19, 1889; married July 5, 1911, to Clarence H. Broughton, who was born at Windom, Kan., Sept. 9, 1888. Residence, Bloomington, Ill.

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(aa) George William Broughton, born at Bloomington, Ill., July 25, 1914; married July 15, 1939, to Mildred Anderson, who was born at Auburn, Ill., Dec. 29, 1915. Residence, Bloomington, Ill.

(bb) Helen Lorinda Broughton Selders, born at Bloomington, Ill., June 27, 1917; married June 6, 1937, to Ross Thomas Selders. Residence, 6 Ross Drive, Bloomington, Illinois.

(aaa) Susan Helen Selders, born at Bloomington, Ill., April 24, 1938.

(bbb) Patricia Ross Selders, born Sept. 28, 1941.

(cc) Dean Clarence Broughton, born at Bloomington, Ill., Nov. 8, 1919.

(f) Austin Carl Miller, born at Elkhart, Ill., June 24, 1894; married Nov. 29, 1916, to Maude Tibbs, who was born in Metcalf County, Ky., Dec. 12, 1895. Residence, Elkhart, Ill.

(aa) Anna Marie Miller, born at Elkhart, Ill., July 19, 1919.

2. William Thomas Brown, born March 11, 1863; died June 22, 1863.

X. JULIUS CAESAR HART, Jr., born at Augusta, Ohio, Sept. 3, 1846; died at Medford, Oregon, Oct. 5, 1931; married Christine

XI. WILLIAM MILNER HART, born Carroll County, O., Jan. 12, 1849; died Geff, Ill., Feb. 25, 1927; married Feb. 20, 1872 to Sophia Elizabeth Brown at Geff, Ill., who was born, Geff, Ill., March 15, 1855, and died at Geff, Ill., April 9, 1922.

1. Ira Otis Hart, born Geff, Ill., July 18, 1875; died Evansville, Ind., Sept. 1, 1937; married first to Lucy Ada Bestow, who was born Oct. 10, 1876, at Denver, Colorado, and died March 25, 1909, at Evansville, Ohio.

(a) Hazel Glenn Hart Uhl, born Geff, Ill., July 30, 1895; married Feb. 8, 1916, to Oscar August Uhl who was born Evansville, Ind., Feb. 11, 1893. Residence, Cedar Road, Bowling Green, Ky.

(aa) Robert Hart Uhl, born Evansville, Ind., Oct. 15, 1922. Residence, Cedar Road, Bowling Green, Ky.

(bb) Thomas William Uhl, born Evansville, Ind., Dec. 15, 1924. Residence, Cedar Road, Bowling Green, Ky.

(b) Florence Marie Hart Hartlein, born Geff, Ill., Aug. 28, 1897; married Jan. 24, 1915, at Evansville, Ind., to Alfred J. Hartlein, who was born at Evansville, Ind., Sept. 2, 1893, and died at Evansville, Ind., Feb. 6, 1923. Residence, R. D. 4, Box 492, Louisville, Ky.

(aa) Alfred J. Hartlein, Jr., born at Evansville, Ind.,

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Nov. 1, 1916; married May 5, 1937, at Evansville, Ind., to Mary Louise Lattner, who was born at Evansville, Ind., June 26, 1917. Residence, 756 South Alvord Ave., Evansville, Ind.

(aaa) Barbara Ann Hartlein, born Nov. 17, 1941.

(bb) Elizabeth Ann Hartlein, born Evansville, Ind., May 17, 1921. Residence, 1017 South Grand, Evansville, Ind.

(c) William Earl Hart, born Evansville, Ind., May 24, 1900; died Evansville, Ind., Feb. 6, 1904.

NOTE: Ira Otis Hart married second, Aug. 11, 1911, at Evansville, Ind., to Anna France Pace, who was born at Booneville, Ind., Dec. 23, 1873.

2. Ethel Pearl Hart Brooks, born Geff, Ill., Aug. 11, 1880; married April 21, 1897, at Geff, Ill., to Clark H. Brooks, who was born at Mt. Erie, Ill., April 29, 1877. Residence, McLeansboro, Ill.

(a) Roy Otis Brooks, born at Mt. Erie, Ill., March 17, 1899; married May 30, 1919, at Haigler, Nebraska, to Ethel Grace Brown, who was born at Haigler, Nebraska, May 17, 1900. Residence, Morris, Ill.

(aa) Robert Eugene Brooks, born Haigler, Nebraska, Nov. 30, 1920. Now in U. S. Army.

(bb) Dorothy Pearl Brooks Kirk, born Haigler, Nebraska, Nov. 12, 1922; married June 2, 1939, at McLeansboro, Ill., to Kenneth Kirk, who was born Enfield, Ill., Sept. 4, 1918. Residence, Morris, Ill.

(aaa) Donna Kay Kirk, born Enfield, Ill., Feb. 1, 1941.

(cc) Alice Louise Brooks, born Haigler, Nebraska, June 4, 1925. Residence, Morris, Ill.

(dd) Eilleen Mae Brooks, born Cisne, Illinois, Sept. 15, 1931. Residence, Morris, Ill.

(b) William Thornton Brooks, born Cisne, Ill., Oct. 19, 1912; married April 21, 1934, at Flora, Ill., to Virginia Evelyn Coil, who was born Flora, Ill., Aug. 11, 1913. Residence, Flora, Ill.

Ill. Now in U. S. Army, Camp Forest, Tenn.

(aa) Sharon Elaine Brooks, born Flora, Ill., Dec. 28, 1937.

(bb) Janice Louise Brooks, born Flora, Ill., Sept. 15, 1939.

(cc) Virginia Lee Brooks, born Nov. 5, 1941.

3. Alvira Kathryn Hart Trumpe, born Geff, Ill., Nov. 10, 1883; married June 29, 1908, at Geff, Ill., to John M. Trumpe, who was

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born Mt. Vernon, Ind., Jan. 17, 1882, and who died at Streator, Ill., Feb. 20, 1938. Residence, Alvira Hart Trumpe, 1004 South 6th Street, Urbana, Ill.

(a) Dairrel Hart Trumpe, M.D., born Evansville, Ind., July 20, 1909; married Aug. 18, 1930, at Rockford Ill., to Inez Iola Martin, who was born Iola, Ill., Nov. 13, 1908. Residence, 1409 Park Ave., Springfield, Ill.

(aa) Sharon Lee Trumpe, born St. Louis, Missouri, Feb. 8, 1932.

(bb) Richard Martin Trumpe, born St. Louis, Missouri, Nov. 26, 1933.

(b) William Daniel Trumpe, born April 3, 1920; Medical Dept. University of Illinois.

4. William Guy Hart, D.D.S., born Geff, Ill., Dec. 29, 1887; married May 28, 1916, at Fairfield, Ill., to Lute H. Hall, who was born Fairfield, Ill., Nov. 22, 1885. Residence, Fairfield, Ill.

(a) Helen May Hart Steirwalt, born Fairfield, Ill., June 3, 1918; married April 25, 1937, at Fairfield, Ill., to Lotus A. Steirwalt who was born Galatia, Ill., March 8, 1916. Residence, 228 South Ave., Olney, Ill.

(b) Katherine Jean Hart, born Fairfield, Ill., Jan. 25, 1921, Residence, Olney, Ill.

(c) William Guy Hart, Jr., born Fairfield, Ill., Feb. 2, 1925. Residence, Fairfield, Ill.

XII. SARAH CATHERINE HART (ARTMAN) NEAL, born at Augusta, Ohio, March 8, 1852; died at Fairfield, Ill., Jan. 2, 1892; married 1871 to Willis Artman who died 1873.

1. Elizabeth Artman Pierson, born July 17, 1872; married Jan. 15, 1890, to John Pierson, who was born May 20, 1865, and who died Sept. 15, 1938. Residence, Geff, Ill.

(a) William Leroy Pierson, born Oct. 8, 1891; died Nov. 16, 1919; married Feb. 23, 1916, to Jettie B. Tratter who was born March 1, 1891.

(aa) Guy Glenn Pierson, born March 30, 1918; died Feb. 4, 1919.

(b) Edward L. Pierson, born March 12, 1893; married Nov. 21, 1921, to Ethel Pollard Pierson, who was born Feb. 19, 1901. Residence, Geff, Ill.

(aa) Violet Lucile Pierson, born July 30, 1923; died July 30, 1923.

(bb) Wayne Edward Pierson, born July 2, 1925.

(cc) Elbert Willis Pierson, born Jan. 15, 1928.

(dd) Alice Mae Pierson, born Dec. 31, 1930.

(ee) Evelyn Faye Pierson, born April 13, 1936.

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(c) Homer C. Pierson, born Dec. 6, 1894; married Feb. 25, 1922, to Pearl Edith Galbreath, who was born Nov. 10, 1896. Residence, Cisne, Ill.

(aa) Homer Lee Pierson, born Jan. 23, 1923. Residence, Cisne, Ill.

(bb) James Pierson, born Sept. 13, 1924. Residence, Cisne, Ill.

(cc) Pauline Leona Pierson, born May 5, 1926. Residence, Cisne, Ill.

(dd) Ray Glenn Pierson, born Aug. 31, 1933. Residence, Cisne, Ill.

(d) Estel Eugene Pierson, born Aug. 25, 1896; died Jan. 27, 1897.

(e) John Henry Pierson, born Nov. 24, 1897; died Sept. 22, 1937.

(f) Infant son born Nov. 21, 1899; died Dec. 1, 1899.

(g) Delbert James Pierson, born Dec. 4, 1901; died May 6, 1924.

(h) Frank Leonard Pierson, born Nov. 1, 1903; died Jan. 26, 1922.

(i) Jerome Raymond Pierson, born Jan. 14, 1906; married Sept. 3, 1930, to Ella Lee Brock, who was born Dec. 3, 1911. Residence, Geff, Ill.

(j) Glen Neal Pierson, born Jan. 29, 1908; died Sept. 23, 1937.

(k) Carrie Kathryn Pierson, born June 12, 1910; died March 8, 1931.

(l) Edna Ora Pierson Shelton, born Jan. 20, 1912, at Geff, Ill., married May 23, 1930, to Hulbert Shelton, who was born Feb. 7, 1910, at Geff, Ill. Residence, Welldon, Ill.

(aa) Leona Maud Shelton, born June 21, 1931.

(bb) Zella Jean Shelton, born May 22, 1933.

(cc) Lloyd Hulbert Shelton, born Jan. 20, 1935.

(dd) Roy Adison Shelton, born Jan. 23, 1937.

(ee) Earl Samuel Shelton, born Jan. 1, 1941.

(m) Zella May Pierson Kenney, born May 18, 1914; married Aug. 9, 1933, to Calder Kenney, who was born Feb. 8, 1909. Residence, Fairfield, Ill.

(aa) Mary Lee Kenney, born Aug. 11, 1937.

(bb) Bertie Verlee Kenney, born Sept. 12, 1938.

(cc) Gerry Calder Kenney, born June 26, 1942.

NOTE: Sarah Catherine Hart (Artman) Neal married second Dec. 1875, to Francis Arthur Neal, who was born Jan. 29, 1848, and who died Feb. 1, 1888.

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2. Maude Neal Miller, born at Geff, Ill., Sept. 19, 1876; married Dec. 30, 1902, to Zadock N. Miller, who was born at Honeycreek, Ind., Nov. 19, 1859. Residence, Elkhart, Ill.

(a) Lolita Miller Merritt, born near Elkhart, Ill., Jan. 11, 1904; married July 21, 1929, to John L. Merritt, who was born at Elkhart, Ill., July 22, 1908. Residence, Elkhart, Ill.

3. Lorinda Alice Neal Hockensmith, born in Wayne County, Ill., May 8, 1879; married Feb. 3, 1903, to Chester Arthur Hockensmith who was born in Fulton County, Pa., July 8, 1883. Residence, 4115 West 38th Avenue, Denver, Colorado.

(a) Mary Lois Hockensmith Houck, born at Ollie, Iowa, Jan. 12, 1905; married Sept. 14, 1930, to Clifton Vernon Houck, who was born at Damascus, Virginia, Aug. 1, 1907. Residence, 1605 Chestnut St., Oakland, Calif.

(aa) Tanya Rose Houck, born at Des Moines, Iowa, Oct. 6, 1931.

(bb) Vernon Dale Houck, born at LeRoy, Iowa, Nov. 19, 1932.

(cc) Colleen Houck, born at LeRoy, Iowa, July 21, 1934; died Oct. 28, 1934.

(dd) Jerry Houck, born Nov. 14, 1938.

(b) George Lowell Hockensmith born at Richland, Iowa, March 6, 1906; married Nov. 20, 1929, to Dorothy White, who was born at Weldon, Iowa, March 10, 1910. Residence, Weldon, Ia.

(aa) Elva Mae Hockensmith, born at Weldon, Iowa, Aug. 15, 1930.

(bb) Lowell Gene Hockensmith, born at Weldon, Iowa, Jan. 9, 1932.

(cc) Edward Hockensmith, born at Weldon, Iowa, Oct. 22, 1935.

(c) William Paul Hockensmith, born at Ollie, Iowa, Sept. 5, 1907. Residence, 1605 Chestnut St., Oakland, Calif.

(d) Chester Arthur Hockensmith, Jr., born at Ollie, Iowa, Feb. 15, 1909; married June 27, 1936, to Marjorie Linton who was born at Humiston, Iowa, July 9, 19 . Residence, Humiston, Iowa.

(aa) Ann Hockensmith, born at Humiston, Iowa, July 9, 1937.

(e) Catherine Regina Hockensmith Potts, born at Ollie, Iowa, Aug. 14, 1910; married July 1935, to Cecil Potts who was born at New Virginia, Iowa, March 6, 1910. Residence, 842 Cedar St., Alameda, Calif.

(f) Vera Neal Hockensmith McBroom, born at Ollie, Iowa,

F. Julius Caesar Hart—Family Chart Continued

Sept. 6, 1911; married Oct. 11, 1929, to Keith McBroom who was born at Garden Grove, Iowa, July 24, 1903. Residence, 811 Eleventh St., Oakland, California.

(aa) Clavis McBroom, born at LeRoy, Iowa, Aug. 12, 1930.

(bb) Richard McBroom born at LeRoy, Iowa, Feb. 10, 1932.

(cc) Rose Lee McBroom, born at LeRoy, Iowa, April 15, 1934.

(dd) Kathryn McBroom, born Nov. 22, 1935.

(g) Graydon Delmar Hockensmith, born at Woodburn, Iowa, Dec. 26, 1912. Residence, 1605 Chestnut St., Oakland, Calif.

(h) Twyla Marie Hockensmith Disner, born at Lucas, Iowa, Sept. 1, 1916; married June 20, 1937, to Julius Paul Disner, who was born at Edith, Colorado, June 13, 1909. Residence, 967 North California Ave., Palo Alto, Calif.

(aa) Jule Disner, born at Portland, Oregon, May 3, 1938.

(bb) Aline Disner, born at Palo Alto, Calif., June 30, 1939.

(i) Loy Duane Hockensmith, born at McIntosh, Minnesota, June 4, 1921. Residence, 1605 Chestnut St., Oakland, Calif.

4. Mary Catherine Neal (Sweeney) Duncan, born in Wayne County, Ill., Feb. 3, 1881; married April 18, 1918, to Frank William Sweeney, who was born at Ft. Collins, Colorado, Oct. 1, 1881, and who died at Denver, Colorado, March 7, 1921. Residence, 4202 West 38th Avenue, Denver, Colorado.

(a) James Robert Sweeney, born at Denver, Colorado, May 2, 1919; married Aug. 5, 1940, to Dorothy Gwendolyn McCray who was born at Denver, Colorado, April 26, 1920. I. M. 2nd Class U. S. S. Portland, Care of Fleet Master, Pearle Harbor.

(b) Frances Maude Sweeney, born Elkhart, Ill., Sept. 3, 1921, and died at Elkhart, Ill., March 6, 1933.

NOTE: Mary Catharine Neal Sweeny Duncan was married second June 7, 1933, to Simon Houston Duncan, who was born at Ft. Collins, Colorado, July 26, 1869.

5. William M. Swift Neal, born in Wayne County, Ill., April 28, 1884; married July 17, 1920, to Sina Johnson, who was born in Houston County, Minnesota, Feb. 9, 1877. Residence, Union, N. Dakota.

6. Frank A. Neal, born in Wayne County, Ill., April 24, 1887; married March 29, 1940, to Frida Dobbs, who was born at Rinard, Ill., Oct. 1, 1915. Residence, 414 Monson St., East Peoria, Ill.

(a) Marilyn Kay Neal, born July 25, 1941.

CHAPTER XVII

G — Julia Maria Hart Milner—Seventh Generation

Julia Maria Hart, the seventh and youngest child of Silas Hart and Phile Swift Hart was born at Palmyra, New York, Sept. 7, 1801. When about eighteen years of age she with her father, Silas Hart, and her two brothers, John Swift Hart and Julius Caesar Hart, emigrated from their New York home to Columbiana County, Ohio. They resided in the northern part of the county, perhaps at Lisbon for a year or two when Silas Hart purchased the Hart homestead near Yellow Creek in Washington Township. Silas Hart, the father, within a short time returned to Palmyra where he died in 1828, but the three children, John, Julius, and Julia, remained and lived together in Washington Township until the time of their respective marriages.

In 1818 Julia Maria Hart was married to William M. Milner who was born in Loudon County, Virginia, Jan. 27, 1794. He was the son of Joseph Milner, Sr., who was born in England in 1749. Joseph Milner, Sr., and other members of his family were Quakers. Due to the fact that when he reached his majority he became liable to conscription to aid in the many wars in which England was engaged at that time, he migrated to Holland, and later joined the Quaker Migration to the new world. He settled in Loudon County, Virginia, and soon after, perhaps in 1772, married Susanna Brown, the daughter of John and Mary Tate Brown. Susanna Brown was born in 1754. Joseph Milner's oldest brother, Edward Milner, who was born in England in 1745, with his wife, Sarah Grammar Milner, had either preceded or closely followed Joseph Milner in coming to Loudon County. Here both Joseph and Edward lived for about twenty-five years and reared large families. Edward Milner had seven sons and seven daughters, while Joseph Milner had eight sons and three daughters.

About 1800, the Ohio Company forced the Indians from their lands west and northward from Virginia and opened up the whole Ohio Valley for settlement. Between 1800 and 1805 Edward and Joseph Milner, Sr., joined the movement westward. Edward went down the river and settled near what afterwards became St. Clairsville in Belmont County, Ohio. Joseph Milner, Sr., with all of his children, except the oldest daughter who had married George Rhodes and lived at Leesburg, Virginia, emigrated to and located on Bull Creek in Columbiana County, Ohio, at a point about three miles northeast of Lisbon, Ohio. He soon moved farther west in the same county to the village of Hanoverton, Ohio. The tract of land which Joseph Milner, Sr., purchased was sold by him in a few years to James Sloan who afterwards platted a part of it for a town which became the Village of Hanover.

At the time Joseph Milner, Sr., sold this farm there was great excitement over the discovery of salt wells or springs in the Yellow Creek Valley twelve or fifteen miles southeast of Hanover and thither Joseph Milner, Sr., and the younger members of his family went in the spring of 1817. He bought one hundred and sixty acres of land from John Fischel on Yellow Creek about three miles southeast of Salineville, upon which he con-



**Mill Dam and Water Fall, Clark's Mill, located on Yellow Creek and
Operated by William Milner**

structed a water-power grist mill subsequently and successively known as Milner's, McIntosh's and Clark's Mill. This mill became a famous water-power grist mill and was one of the last such mills to survive in eastern Ohio.

The deed for this tract of land was dated June 5, 1817, and is recorded in Vol 4, page 293 deed records of Columbiana County. The deed is witnessed by Alex'r Clark and John Milner. It conveys the southeast quarter of Section 17, Township 12 (Washington) Range 3, which said quarter section was confirmed to the said John Fishel by patent under the hand of James Madison with the seal of the General Land Office thereto affixed and bearing date the thirteenth day of July, 1813.

Joseph Milner, Sr., by last will and testament executed on Dec. 22, 1818, devised this farm to his three sons, Edward Milner, Joseph Milner, Jr., and William Milner, subject to a life estate in his wife. This will was attested by George Clark and Silas Hart, the latter later becoming the father-in-law of one of the devisees, William Milner. This will, written by Joseph Milner, Sr., in his own hand, was probated in the Common Pleas Court of Columbiana County on April 7, 1821, (Common Pleas Docket 1, Page 85, Case No. 486), and is as follows:

"In the name of God Amen. I Joseph Milner, Sr., being weak in body but of sound and perfect mind and memory, blessed be

Almighty God for the same, do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following, to-wit: I give my wife, Susanna, the Mansion House, she to be supported from the farm and mills during her natural life."

"As to my real estate, I give and bequeath as follows, viz.: the southeast quarter of Section No. 17, in the twelfth township and third range, containing the above mentioned farm and mills, I do devise and bequeath equally to my sons, Edward, Joseph and William Milner, subject to the life estate of their mother."

From this will it is learned that the "mills" had been already constructed, and were in operation on this land in the year 1818. By quit claim deed dated July 29, 1825, Joseph Milner, Jr., and his wife, Jane Milner conveyed their interest in this property to the two other brothers, Edward Milner and William Milner. (See Deed Record Vol 9, Page 437, Columbiana County Record of Deeds.) Under date of June 5, 1830, Edward Milner and Rebecca Milner his wife, and William Milner and Julia Maria (Hart) Milner his wife, conveyed that portion of the above farm which was thereafter known as the "Mill Property" to Joseph Streaan. This tract consisted of 48.82 acres of land described as follows: "Beginning at the southwest corner of said quarter section (Sec. 17, Township 12, Range 3), thence running east along the section line to a post on the south boundary line 29 chains and 70 links; thence north 18½ degrees west 6 chains and 76 links to a white oak; thence north 52½ degrees west 14 chains to a post; thence 74½ degrees west 17 chains and 20 links to a post on the western boundary of said quarter; thence south to the place of beginning." (See Deed Record Vol. 13, Page 693, Columbiana County Record of Deeds). On the same day Edward Milner and Rebecca Milner, his wife deeded his interest in the remainder of said quarter section of land containing about 120 acres of land to William Milner, who became the sole owner of the same. (See Deed Records, Vol. 13, Page 449, Columbiana County Record of Deeds).

When William M. Milner and Julia Maria Hart were married they took up their residence on this mill property and lived with, and made a home for father and mother Milner until they died. During this period from 1820 and until the mill property was sold in 1830, William Milner operated the mill which was then known throughout eastern Ohio as "Milners's Mills."

Joseph Milner, Sr., died in 1821, and his wife in 1828. They were both buried in a small burying ground on the top of a hill known as McGary's Hill about a mile southwest of the old mill on what has been known as "Section 16" in Washington Township.

The children of Joseph Milner, Sr. (1749-1821) and Susanna Brown Milner (1754-1828), with number of their children and places of residence respectively were as follows:

1. John Milner, born Aug. 9, 1774; married Hester, five sons and two daughters, Mercer County, Pa.
2. Jehu Milner, born 1777, married Eleanor Rhodes, one son and five daughters. Hanoverton, Ohio.
3. George Milner, born 1779, married Elizabeth Weir, three sons and five daughters. East Rochester, Ohio.
4. Jesse Milner, born Feb. 3, 1783, married Mary Craig, 9 sons and five daughters. Fairfield, Ill.



Graves and Gravestones of Julia Maria Hart Milner and Husband William Milner, Monroeville Cemetery, near Salineville Ohio—Photographed in 1942

5. Edward Milner, born Dec. 9, 1785, married Rebecca Frazier, two sons and seven daughters. Antioch, Ohio.
6. Isaac Milner, born 1787. (Pekin—near Minerva, Ohio.)
7. Joseph Milner, Jr., born 1790; married Jane Weir, six sons and four daughters. Salineville, Ohio.
8. Euphemia Milner, born Jan. 27, 1794, twin sister of William Milner. Hanoverton, Ohio.
9. **William M. Milner**, born Jan. 27, 1794, twin brother of Euphemia, married to Julia Maria Hart, three sons and five daughters, married second to Mrs. Jane Barricks. No issue. Salineville, Ohio.

William Milner came to Salineville, Ohio, with his parents above named, about 1817. He served as an Ohio soldier in the War of 1812, being a sergeant in Captain William Blackburn's Company of Infantry, Second (Colonel John Hindman's) Regiment of Ohio Militia from August 22nd to November 30, 1812. (See Roster Ohio Soldiers War 1912, pages 43 and 62), and in the same company in Col. William Rayens, Third Regiment Ohio Militia from Dec. 1, 1912, to March 9, 1913 (See Roster Ohio Soldiers War 1912, pages 69 and 136.) He served under the command of Gen. William Henry Harrison.

William M. Milner was a stone-cutter and bricklayer by trade, was an active member of the Disciples of Christ Church and of the Masonic order. He and his wife, Julia Maria, are both buried in the Monroeville Cemetery, near Salineville, Ohio, and their graves are marked by well preserved grave-stones.

Julia Maria Hart and her husband, William M. Milner, became the parents of eight children and the ancestors of a large family of descendants. The names of these children and a brief history of these families follow:

I. Philena Milner Crumley (sometimes spelled "Crumbley" and "Crumbleigh") named for her Aunt Philena Sweet, was born at Salineville, Ohio, November 1, 1921. She was the wife of James Crumley. They resided all their lives near Salineville on a farm and are buried in the Monroeville cemetery. They were the parents of nine children. The eldest was Julia Maria, named for her grandmother. She became the wife of Alexander Stitt of Salineville, Ohio. The second child of Philena and James Crumley was Eliza Jane Crumley who became the wife of Samuel Rigdon. He was a civil war veteran, having served as a 2nd lieutenant in Co. A., 32nd Ohio Volunteer Infantry. They were the parents of twelve children.

The third child of Philena and James Crumley was Margaret Annie who was married to James M. Reese. He was a civil war veteran, serving with the 184th Ohio Vol. Infantry. He is buried at Wilmot, Ohio, while Margaret Reese is buried in East Akron Cemetery, Akron, Ohio. They were the parents of six children. The eldest, Sarah Estella Chamberlain, now deceased, and her daughter, Gladys Estella Chamberlain, residing in Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, perfected their membership in the Society of Mayflower Descendants, their membership numbers being 8879 and 8880 respectively.

The names of the other children of Philena and James Crumley and the names of their descendants are to be found in the family chart which appears at the end of this chapter.

II. Jehu Brown Milner, the second child of Julia Maria Hart and William M. Milner, was born at Salineville, Ohio, Dec. 6, 1823. He married Mary Elizabeth Queen, a daughter of Jonah Queen of Salineville who was a Colonial war soldier and the head of a prominent Salineville family. Jehu Milner and wife resided the greater portion of their lives at Alliance, Ohio, where they reared a family of eight children. Mr. Milner was a devoted member of the Disciples of Christ Church and was prominently associated with the interests of what was known as Alliance College, a church school of that church. His principal business was that of realtor and he laid out and developed three of the early real estate allotments which are now within the city of Alliance and are known on the city and county records as "Milner's Allotments."

The eldest child of Jehu Brown Milner and Elizabeth Milner was Samuel George Milner who became a very prominent educator in Grand Rapids, Michigan, and later a prominent physician in Detroit. A history of "Grand Rapids and Kent County" published by Ernest B. Fisher in 1918, says:

"Dr. Samuel G. Milner was born in eastern Ohio in 1846. After profiting by the best educational facilities his native place afforded, in the fall of 1868 he entered the literary department of the University of Michigan, in which he received the degree of A.B. in 1872, and that of A.M. in 1876. Immediately after graduation he was appointed to the principalship of the Union School at Grand Rapids, which position he held for thirteen years. In 1885 he entered the Homeopathic Medical College of the University of Michigan, and received the degree of M.D. in 1887. After graduation he was appointed resident physician of the hospital of the Homeopathic Medical College, but declined to accept the position of assistant to the professor of theory and practice, and to the professor of obstetrics and diseases of women and children in the same institution. Six months later he resigned and returned to Grand Rapids to enter practice. He was for a time on the editorial staff of the Homeopathic Medical Counsellor. He continued in practice here until about 1900 when he removed to Detroit."

He continued his practice at Detroit until the time of his death which followed an operation May 2, 1907. He married Florence Cushman who, prior to her marriage, was a teacher in Detroit University School. She survives Dr. Milner and is now employed in the Widemer Library as library selector at Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass. She is a writer of special articles for magazines and other publications.

William Andrew Milner, the second child of Jehu B. Milner and his wife, was born at Salineville, Ohio. In August 1862 at the age of fourteen, he enlisted in the Union Army and served in Co. F. 115th Ohio Volunteer Infantry. He was discharged in 1864. He worked for the Pennsylvania Railroad at Alliance, Ohio, as office clerk. He married Harriet K. Stidger of Canton, Ohio. He took up a homestead in Ellis County, Kansas, in 1878. Later he moved to Sacramento and

later to San Francisco, Cal. His wife died in California, after which he moved to St. Cloud, Fla., where he died in 1923.

Julietta Maria Milner, third child of Jehu Brown Milner and his wife, was born at Alliance, Ohio. She was married to Rev. John L. Pinkerton, a minister of the Disciples of Christ Church, who died at Great Falls, Mont., June 22, 1907. Mrs. Pinkerton attended a female seminary in Cleveland where she studied portrait painting. She lived in Ohio and at Oskaloosa, Iowa, where she died. They had three sons.

Samantha Margaret Milner, daughter of Jehu Brown Milner and his wife, was born at Salineville, Ohio. She was educated in Episcopal Seminary at Cleveland, Ohio. After living several years in Alliance, she moved in 1878, with her parents to Hays, Kan. She taught music in Episcopal Girls School in Deer Lodge, Mont. In 1886 she was married to Rev. E. G. Prout, who died in 1898. She and her three children then moved to Topeka, Kan., where she taught music. Their eldest son, William S. Prout is an M.D. He served in the first World War at Ft. Riley in 1917. He was transferred into the Medical Department of the regular army in 1920. He served at West Point, Manila, Denver and Little Rock. He is now a Lieutenant-Colonel. Her second child is Margaret Prout, educated in Sisters of Bethany in Topeka and in Emporia State Teacher's College. She taught music in the Topeka Schools and became supervisor of music in the schools of Bartlesville, Okla. She married Richard Grant, now deceased. The third child of Mrs. Prout is Gregory Prout, who is in the theatrical business in Kansas City, Mo.

Mary Emeline Milner, the sixth child of Jehu Brown Milner and his wife, was born at Alliance, Ohio, and lived several years there where she attended Mount Union College. She became the wife of Franklin Cass Montgomery who was the editor of the Harp (Kansas) Sentinel. He became the political editor of Kansas affairs for the Kansas City (Missouri) Journal in 1895, when the family moved to Topeka to do this work. In April 1909, after her husband's death, Mrs. Montgomery was appointed to a position with the Kansas State Historical Society which position she held until she retired in February 1942. She was appointed to her position by the late George Martin, then secretary of the Historical Society, and had worked continuously through the administrations of four different secretaries. She was known to hundreds of visitors to the archives of the Society and was considered one of the leading historians of Kansas. Soon after she resigned her position, she became ill and passed away June 15, 1942. She was buried on the old Milner Cemetery lot at Hays, Kan., beside her father, mother and husband. She was a member of Grace Cathedral, Western Sorosis, and the Women's Knife and Fork Club.

Mrs. Montgomery was the mother of four children. The eldest, Franklin Terrence Montgomery, was born at Hays, Kans.; moved with parents to Topeka in 1894; enlisted at the age of 17 in Twentieth Kansas Regiment for Spanish-American war, and served in Philippines in 1898. He was engaged in California as mechanical engineer on railway work; enlisted in the First World War in 1917, and was discharged as Captain in 1919. He was then employed by U. S. Shipping

Board in California and New York until 1930, when he joined the steward's department on the Pan-American passenger and freight lines from San Francisco through Panama Canal to New York. Later the ship's route has been changed from New York to Rio de Janeiro, S. A.

Paul Milner Montgomery, the second son, was born in Cheney, Wash. He went to Topeka with his parents in 1894, where he now lives. He has been with Topeka Daily Capital as promotion manager since 1922. He is author of numerous industrial articles published in national magazines. He is a member of Topeka Press Club and Saturday Night Literary Club. He was married to Ada Jarboe Aug. 4, 1906. She has been Woman's Editor of the Topeka Daily Capital since 1921. She is Past President of Kansas Newspaper Women's Association. They have two children. The eldest, Catherine Mary Montgomery, attended Kansas State College and was graduated from the Missouri University School of Journalism in 1930. She followed a short newspaper career as reporter on Topeka Daily Capital and Milwaukee Sentinel. She then married William J. Brandenburg who is the son of Dr. Samuel J. Brandenburg, Dean of Economics at Clark University, and of Margaret Johnston Brandenburg, daughter of Chief Justice William Agnew Johnston, who served for more than fifty years on the Kansas Supreme Court. The second child of Paul J. Montgomery and wife, is Paul Jarboe Montgomery, born in Topeka and graduated in engineering from Kansas State College, Manhattan, Kan. He was first associated with Kansas State Highway Department, and now is a U. S. Army Engineer executive on the Bermuda Army Base. He was married to Helen Gibler July 1, 1939. She is editor of Bermuda Beacon, U. S. Army Base Safety Magazine in Bermuda and is also columnist on the Royal Gazette of Bermuda.

Flora Virginia Milner, the seventh child of Jehu Brown Milner, was born at Alliance, Ohio. She is a graduate of Cleveland Female Seminary. She resided in Hays, Kansas, from 1878 to 1880, then located at Bozeman, Mont., where she taught school. In 1891 she was married to Luther Livingston and lived in Grand Rapids, Mont. She later lived in Scarsdale, N. Y. while he was bibliophile for Dodd, Mead & Vo. Mr. Livingston was the author of a biography of James Lowell. He was appointed curator at Harvard University but died in 1914. Mrs. Livingston succeeded her husband in Widemer Memorial Library at Harvard University. She is the author of a two volume biography of Kipling.

Charles Harold Milner, son of Jehu Brown Milner, and wife, was born at Alliance, Ohio. He went with his parents to Hays, Kansas in 1878 and to California in 1890. He engaged in railroad work in Oakland, Cal. He is a musician and has been playing in bands and orchestras for more than thirty-five years. He was married to Edith Oliver of Oakland in 1912.

III. Euphemia Milner, the third child of Julia Maria Hart Milner and William Milner, was born at Salineville, Ohio. She was married to George Brooks and they became the parents of a family of nine children, the home of the family being in Jackson County, Ohio. The eldest child, William Milner Brooks, married Priscilla Ray, who was a

sister of Dr. Lorenzo D. Ray, who in turn was the husband of Frances Miranda Brooks, the third child of Euphemia Milner Brooks and George Brooks.

Mary Elizabeth Brooks, the second child, became the wife of Dr. George Anson Baker. They resided in Jackson County, Ohio, but later at Selma, Iowa.

George W. Brooks, the eighth child of this family, taught school in early life. Later he was ordained a minister of the Baptist Church. He was a missionary of the American Sunday School Union for twenty-two years, four years in Pennsylvania and the last eighteen years in southern Ohio, being in this service at the time of his death. He studied at Denison University and at Lebanon Normal School. His second wife was Dorothy Eleanor Randall. Their son, George Randall Brooks, was graduated from Otterbein College in 1935, and is now a Methodist Minister at Chesline, Ohio. His sister, Eleanor Randall Brooks, graduated this year from Otterbein College, and his sister, Ann Evelyn Brooks is a student at Rio Grand College.

IV. Samantha Milner was born at Salineville. She was married three times, her husbands being Alex Russell, James Criss and Harvey Marshall. She had one child born to the first marriage and four to the second marriage.

V. George Wood Milner was born at Salineville. He was the father of four children by a second marriage.

VI. Harriet Milner Hutson was born at Salineville, and resided in that vicinity all her life. She was the mother of four children.

VII. Lyman Hart Milner, the seventh child of Julia Maria Hart Milner was born at Salineville, but lived most of his life at Alliance, Ohio. When free mail delivery was first established in Alliance, April 1, 1890, Postmaster Harper Brosius appointed Lyman Hart Milner as the ranking mail carrier for the city and he continued in the employment until his retirement. He was a volunteer soldier in the Civil War, being a member of Co. F, 32nd Ohio Regiment, and later a member of the 26th Ohio Battery. He was a company comrade of his cousins, Benjamin F. Hart and William F. Hart throughout this service. He was the father of three children. His daughter, Jessie Milner, was for many years manager of the Postal Telegraph office at Alliance.

VIII. The eighth child of Julia Maria Hart Milner was Miranda Milner, born at Salineville. She became the wife of Josiah Alroy Longabaugh, with residence most of her life at Angola, Ind. Mr. Longabaugh was born near Stoyestown, Penn. He served as a member of Co. F, 32nd Ohio Regiment in the Civil War and was a company comrade of his brother-in-law, Lyman Milner, and his cousins by marriage, Benjamin F. Hart and William F. Hart. Miranda Milner and Josiah Alroy Longabaugh were the parents of a family of six children, five of whom grew to maturity. Two of these children, William A. Longabaugh and Elizabeth Longabaugh Rae, together with Rev. Robert P. Sheppard, a minister, located in Chicago, who was the husband of a third child, Lena Longabaugh, were all students at Hiram College, Hiram, Ohio, from 1897 to 1899. William A. Longabaugh served in the American

Army in the Spanish-American War in the 22nd U. S. Infantry from April 12, 1898, to April 11, 1901.

Donna L. Rae Cameron, daughter of Elizabeth Longabaugh Rae, is a deputy in the Juvenile Court of Wood County, Ohio, and assists with the work at the county detention home. The Rae family resides at Bowling Green, Ohio.

The family chart of the Julia Maria Hart Milner family follows:

G. JULIA MARIA HART MILNER—FAMILY CHART

Julia Maria Hart Milner, daughter and seventh child of Silas Hart and Phila Swift Hart, was born at Palmyra, N. Y., Sept. 7, 1801; died at Salineville, Ohio, March 21, 1841; married in 1820 to William M. Milner of Salineville, Ohio, who was born Jan. 27, 1794, and who died Jan. 21, 1860; married second to Jane Barricks.

I. PHILENA MILNER CRUMLEY, born Nov. 21, 1821; died July 4, 1905, at Salineville, Ohio; married Feb. 22, 1844, to James Crumley, who was born May 11, 1816, and who died Dec. 25, 1859, at Salineville, Ohio. Both buried in Monroeville Cemetery.

1. Julia Maria Crumley Stitt, born at Salineville, Ohio, Dec. 6, 1844; died June 20, 1897; married Sept. 4, 1862, to Alexander Stitt, who was born at St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 18, 1838, and died Jan. 6, 1904.

(a) Clara Alexine Stitt, born July 26, 1865, at Salineville, Ohio; died Feb. 23, 1868.

(b) Mary Maria Stitt Molenske, born July 13, 1867, at Salineville, Ohio; died March 25, 1940, at Pittsburgh, Pa.; married Sept. 26, 1886, to Frank B. Molenske, who was born Sept. 26, 1859 at Berlin, Germany, and died at Pittsburgh, Pa., May 10, 1914.

(aa) Earnest Alexander Molenske, born Sept. 15, 1892; married June 6, 1917, to Alma Doneghue. Married, second, Sept. 20, 1941, to Marie Zindsmaster, who was born July 6, 1900. Residence, 1197 Wick Ave., Youngstown, Ohio.

(c) John T. D. Stitt, born Nov. 17, 1869, at Salineville, Ohio. Unmarried. Residence, Pittsburgh, Pa.

(d) Henry Elias Stitt, born July 22, 1872; died July 24, 1879. Twin of (e).

(e) Annie Marie Stitt DeVore Anthony Gilchrist, born July 22, 1872; died Nov. 21, 1933; married May 12, 1891, to Harry DeVore, who was born in 1869, at Paris Franec, and who died May 10, 1893, at Salineville, Ohio; married, second, Aug. 12, 1895, to John Harley Anthony, who was born Oct. 21, 1871, at New York; married, third, Feb. 14, 1931, to Alexander Gilchrist, who was born June 19, 1870, at Dundee, Scotland. His present address is 215 Twentieth St., Toledo, Ohio.

(aa) Ralph Waldo DeVore, born June 27, 1892, at Salineville, Ohio; married Jan. 14, 1914, to Olive Pearl

G. Julia Maria Hart Milner—Family Chart Continued

Doren, who was born Feb. 29, 1892. Residence, 3707 Mapleway Drive, Toledo, Ohio.

(bb) Phyllis Eleanor Anthony Collins, born Sept. 18, 1899, at Brookline, N. Y.; married March 12, 1924, to Clifford Merchant Collins, who was born March 13, 1898. Residence, 195 Dartmouth Drive, Toledo, Ohio.

(aaa) Clifford Merchant Collins, Jr., born Jan. 21, 1928, at Toledo, Ohio.

(bbb) Marilyn Ann Collins, born March 30, 1930.

(f) William Elmer Sherman Stitt, born Sept. 23, 1874, at Salineville, Ohio; married Sept. 23, 1908, to Isabelle MacRae, who was born Nov. 30, 1886. Residence, 212 Magnolia Ave., Mt. Lebanon, Pittsburgh, Penn.

(aa) Jayne Elizabeth Stitt, born Dec. 4, 1911, at Pittsburgh, Pa; Residence, 212 Magnolia Ave., Mt. Lebanon, Pittsburgh, Pa.

(bb) William Elmer Sherman Stitt, Jr., born July 30, 1917, at Pittsburgh, Pa., unmarried. Residence, 212 Magnolia Ave., Mt. Lebanon, Pittsburgh, Pa.

(g) Elide Maria Stitt, born Sept. 1, 1876, at Salineville, Ohio; died July 27, 1939. Unmarried.

(h) Charles A. Stitt, born Nov. 9, 1878, at Salineville, Ohio; married April 15, 1902, to Katherine Anderson, who was born Sept. 4, 1879, at Pittsburgh, Pa. Present address of Mr. Stitt, 623 Collins Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., E. E.; present address of Katherine A. Stitt, Margaretta St., Pittsburgh, Pa. E. E.

(aa) Charles A. Stitt, Jr., born April 20, 1903, unmarried. Residence, 153 Whipple St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

(bb) Doroty Stitt Barnett, born July 12, 1905, at Pittsburgh, Pa.; married Dec. 6, 1941, to Walter A. Barnett who was born Feb. 12, 1906. Residence, 153 Whipple Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

(cc) Jean DeHaven Stitt McGill, born Aug. 30, 1908, at Pittsburgh, Pa.; married Nov. 8, 1930, to Donald Earl McGill, who was born May 2, 1893, at Meadville, Pa.; Residence, 1272 E. 145th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

(aaa) June Claire McGill, born	} twins.
March 26, 1939	
(bbb) Jayne Louise McGill, born	
March 26, 1939.	

(dd) Mary Louise Stitt Furick, born May 13, 1913, at Pittsburgh, Pa.; married Aug. 11, 1941, to James Walter Furick. Residence, 153 Whipple Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

(aaa) Jay Walter Furick, born June 4, 1942.

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(ee) Eva Rose Stitt Bayles, born Jan. 30, 1916, at Pittsburgh, Pa.; married July 6, 1940 to Ward Guthrie Bayles. Residence, 715 Summerlea St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

(aaa) Judith Guthrie Bayles, born May 25, 1942.

(i) Nellie Philena Stitt Pahner, born Dec. 27, 1880, at Salineville, Ohio; died Aug. 6, 1935; married April 15, 1900, to Hugo Max Pahner, who was born at Heidelberg, Germany, May 16, 1880, and who died Jan. 19, 1936, at Cleveland, Ohio.

(aa) Helen Maria Pahner Mowery, born Jan. 3, 1901, at Salineville, Ohio; married Aug. 31, 1929, at Cleveland, Ohio, to James Darwin Mowery, who was born May 11, 1901. Residence, 688 E. 126th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

(bb) Grace Elnora Pahner McGill, born July 18, 1902, at Salineville, Ohio; married Sept. 18, 1920, to Thomas Wilbur McGill, who was born July 7, 1898, at Five Points, Pa. Residence, 1273 E. 144th St., Cleveland, O.

(aaa) Doris Mae McGill, born Oct. 25, 1921, at Cleveland, Ohio.

(bb) Gerald Lee McGill, born May 11, 1929, at Cleveland, Ohio.

(cc) Mary Lee Pahner Morse Lewis, born May 21, 1904, at Salineville, Ohio; married March 5, 1925, to Russell Clyde Morse, who was born Jan. 1, 1894, and who died Oct. 1941, at Toledo, Ohio. Married, second, Nov. 17, 1941, to Roy Adam Lewis, who was born June 12, 1897. Residence, 1112½ Homer St., Toledo, Ohio.

NOTE: For business reasons, Mary Lee Pahner Morse Lewis goes by the name of Mary L. Morse. Her business address is, M. L. Morse, Engineering Dept., Toledo-Edison Co., Toledo, Ohio.

(dd) Louis Alexander Pahner, born July 17, 1907, at Cleveland, Ohio. Unmarried. Residence, 14710 Pepper Ave., Cleveland, Ohio. Is now with the United States Army.

(ee) Harry William Pahner, born March 3, 1916, at Cleveland, Ohio; married Dec. 31, 1934, to Beulah Lillian Hastings, who was born Aug. 18, 1914. Residence, 1018 Conant St., Maumee, Ohio.

(aaa) Patricia Anne Pahner, born July 11, 1938, at Toledo, Ohio.

(bbb) Caroline Sue Pahner, born Oct. 15, 1941, at Toledo, Ohio.

(j) Bertha Jayne Stitt, born Nov. 27, 1883, at Salineville, Ohio; died April 29, 1884.

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(k) Harold Alexander Stitt, born April 26, 1887, at Salineville, Ohio; died April 29, 1887.

2. Eliza Jane Crumley Rigdon, born Jan. 30, 1846; died June 21, 1926; married Oct. 25, 1864, to Samuel Rigdon, who was born Nov. 8, 1834, and who died at Massillon, Ohio, Jan. 25, 1897.

(a) Flora Bell Rigdon, born June 25, 1865; died July 24, 1940.

(b) John Howard Rigdon, born Oct. 27, 1866; married Aug. 6, 1888, to Isadora McClure, born in 1866 and died March 19, 1934. Residence, 3421 Woodland Park Ave., Seattle, Wash. (No Children).

(c) Edward Stanton Rigdon, born Dec. 15, 1868; died Aug. 25, 1920; married Dec. 12, 1892, to Clara Wertzbaucher, who was born Feb. 8, 1870, and who died Nov. 26, 1918.

(aa) Edna M. Rigdon, born Nov. 19, 1893. Residence, 876 Amherst Rd., Massillon, Ohio.

(bb) Mabel Rigdon, born Feb. 6, 1898; died Aug. 12, 1921.

(cc) Edwin Rigdon, born July 11, 1902; married April 1, 1926, to Ida Huppert, who was born Oct. 9, 1906. Residence, 876 Amherst Rd., Massillon, Ohio.

(aaa) Edwin Keith Rigdon, born Aug. 4, 1928.

(bbb) Margaret Ann Rigdon, born Sept. 7, 1932.

(ccc) William Stanton Rigdon, born May 10, 1935.

(d) Samuel George Rigdon, born Nov. 9, 1870; died Oct. 6, 1932; married Jan. 20, 1897, to Gertrude Dueshel, who was born Aug. 11, 1873. Residence, 1470 Lincoln St., Lakewood, Ohio.

(aa) Dorothy Rigdon, born July 5, 1907. Residence, 1470 Lincoln St., Lakewood, Ohio.

(e) William Sterling Rigdon, born April 1, 1872; died April 16, 1941; married Oct. 23, 1900, to Ruth Mayne, born July 10, 1879. Residence, 325 Park Ave., Council Bluffs, Iowa.

(f) James Thomas Rigdon, born Dec. 22, 1873; died Dec. 22, 1873.

(g) Gertrude Rigdon Kenyon, born Oct. 28, 1874; married March 15, 1908, to Ernest Kenyon, born Aug. 12, 1874; died Aug. 20, 1920. Residence of Mrs. Kenyon, 115 Payton Ave., Fort Des Moines, Iowa.

(aa) William Andrew Kenyon, born Nov. 15, 1909; married Jan. 1, 1941, to Deborah Lunt Kenyon, born Oct. 17, 1917. Address, 1169 Ninth St., Des Moines, Iowa.

(h) Harry Milner Rigdon, born April 13, 1877; died Jan. 23, 1918; married Feb. 24, 1912, to Florence M. Lipps, born Feb.

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25, 1879. Residence, 1625 Cleveland Ave. N. W., Canton, O.
(i) Elida Maude Rigdon, born May 20, 1882; died March 20, 1886.

(j) Charles Arthur Rigdon, born Aug. 10, 1883; died Oct. 21, 1924; married Sept. 5, 1906, to Jennue Sponseller, who was born March 11, 1884. Residence, 531 Brittain Rd., Akron, O.

(aa) Charles Rigdon, born July 2, 1907.

(k) Paul R. Rigdon, born April 18, 1886; married Sept. 10, 1904, to Leonore Elizabeth Charde, who was born Oct. 19, 1883. Residence, 4164 Wakeley St., Omaha, Neb. Business address, Union Pacific Rd. Co., Omaha, Neb.

(aa) Ruth Patricia Rigdon Schaumann, born Oct. 20, 1906; married Aug. 11, 1929, to Eric Eiler Schaumann, who was born June 14, 1904.

(bb) Elizabeth Paula Rigdon Rapp, born June 17, 1911; married May 30, 1930, to Bert Ward Rapp, who was born July 27, 1910.

(aaa) Jeffrey Randall Rapp, born Sept. 13, 1939.

(l) Eugene Adelbert Rigdon, born Feb. 25, 1889; married June 20, 1917, to Myrtle Feliz, who was born Feb. 17, 1892. Residence, Orient, Ohio.

3. Margaret Annie Crumley Reese, born July 19, 1847; died July 1, 1906; married Oct. 24, 1871, to James M. Reese, who was born March 22, 1847, and who died June 15, 1908.

(a) Sarah Estella Mabel Reese Chamberlain, born July 28, 1872; died Dec. 14, 1940; married Oct. 10, 1894, to Edwin Grant Chamberlain, who was born at Avon, Ill., Sept. 15, 1868. Residence, 1526 Eighteenth St., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. Mrs. Chamberlain was a member of Society of Mayflower Descendants, No. 8879.

(aa) Georgia Edwina Chamberlain, born March 24, 1897.

(bb) Gladys Estella Chamberlain, born March 25, 1903. Residence, 1526 Eighteenth St., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. Miss Chamberlain is a member of Society of Mayflower Descendants, No. 8880.

(cc) Armen Curtis Chamberlain, born April 4, 1905.

(b) Mary Eleanor Reese Ray, born Sept. 13, 1873; married Dec. 31, 1919, to James Ray, who was born in 1870, and who died May 28, 1929, and is buried at Oakwood Cemetery, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. Residence, 47 Frederick Ave., Akron, O.

(c) Clarice Alida Julietta Reese, born Oct. 26, 1874; died May 22, 1882. Buried at East Akron Cemetery.

(d) Rebecca Daisy Vivian Reese Smith, born Aug. 5, 1876; married Feb. 11, 1899, to John H. Smith, who was born Oct. 12, 1875. Residence, 2202 Sixth St., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

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(aa) Evelyn Smith Williams, born Dec. 16, 1900; married to Ira Williams. Residence, Borger, Texas.

(aaa) Stanley David Williams, born Nov. 11, 1929.

(bbb) Vivian Sara Williams, born Aug. 23, 1936.

(ccc) Richard Hollie Williams, born July 29, 1938.

(bb) Henry Franklin Smith, born Jan. 3, 1906; married to Inez Wentzell.

(e) Cora Opal Reese Stabb, born May 22, 1878; died April 4, 1916; married Jan. 1907, to Walter Stabb.

(f) Philena Clessing Margaret Reese Attack, born June 10, 1883; married April 9, 1901, to Albert Attack, who was born Jan. 15, 1881. Residence, 47 Frederick St., Akron, Ohio.

(aa) Fern Harriet Attack Witt Schrier, born Dec. 9, 1903; married Oct. 28, 1924, to George Witt, who was born Aug. 10, 1897. Divorced in 1932. Married, second, Feb. 7, 1935, to Edward G. Schrier, who was born April 14, 1902.

4. William Sterling Crumley, born Feb. 2, 1849; died July 30, 1849.

5. Mary Elizabeth Crumley Howell, born May 11, 1850; married Dec. 2, 1875, to Williard M. Howell.

(a) Samuel Howell, deceased.

(b) Ed Howell, deceased.

(c) Will Howell, deceased.

(d) Harry Howell, deceased.

(e) Paul Howell, deceased.

(f) Gene Howell, deceased.

(g) Flora Howell, deceased.

(h) Gertrude Howell, deceased.

6. James Farmer Crumley, born Feb. 21, 1852; died Dec. 25, 1859.

7. Susannah Philena Crumley Heckman, born March 6, 1854; died Aug. 23, 1912; married Jan. 1, 1879, to Charles B. Heckman, who was born June 3, 1852, and who died Dec 3, 1932.

(a) Jane Heckman Taylor, born Aug. 21, 1882; married Nov. 9, 1911, to James M. Taylor, who died June 1, 1914. Residence, Apt. D, 41 West Walnut St., Pasadena, Calif.

(aa) Susan Helen Taylor Jones, born May 5, 1912; married to Gilbert Jones.

(aaa) Allan Gilbert Jones, born Nov. 9, 1929.

(bbb) Jacqueline Frances Jones, born Dec. 3, 1931.

(bb) Charles Russell Taylor, born May 15, 1914.

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(b) William S. Heckman, born Aug. 9, 1888. Residence, 109 Arch Street, Massillon, Ohio.

8. George Milner Crumley, born Feb. 21, 1857; died in Victor, Colo.

9. John Hart Crumley, born Jan. 13, 1859; died July 2, 1906, at Baker City, Ore.

II. Jehu Brown Milner, born at Salineville, Ohio, Dec. 6, 1823; died at Red Bluff, Calif., Jan. 24, 1890; married July 1, 1845, to Mary Elizabeth Queen, who was born July 30, 1827, and who died May 17, 1880. Married, second, in 1882 to Elizabeth Tindall. Resided at Laurence, Kansas.

1. Samuel George Milner, born May 18, 1846; died May 2, 1907; married Jan. 3, 1883, to Florence Cushman of Detroit, Mich. Residence, Widener Memorial Library, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.

2. William Andrew Milner, born at Salineville, Ohio, Feb. 9, 1848; died in 1923 at St. Cloud, Florida; married to Harriet K. Stidger, of Canton, Ohio, who died in 1917.

(a) Effie Milner Darrough, married to C. H. Darrough. Resided at Red Bluff, Calif.

3. Julietta Maria Milner Pinkerton, born at Alliance, Ohio, Oct 20, 1851; died July 27, 1874; married, 1867, to Rev. John L. Pinkerton, who was born in Kentucky and who died June 22, 1907, Great Falls, Montana.

(a) Paul L. Pinkerton, born May 3, 1869. Resides, New York City.

(b) Forest Pinkerton, born Jan. 28, 1872. Resides, Great Falls, Mont.

(c) Harold Pinkerton, born May 13, 1874; died July 17, 1874.

4. Samantha Margaret Lucinda Milner Prout, born at Salineville, Ohio, Oct. 16, 1853; died 1913; married, 1886, to Rev. El. Gregory Prout, who died in 1898. Resided at Topeka, Kansas.

(a) William Samuel Prout, born Deer Lodge, Mont., March 14, 1889. Residence, Little Rock, Ark.

(b) Margaret Mary Prout Grant, born Deer Lodge, Mont., May 30, 1891; married to Richard Grant, who is now deceased. Residence, Topeka, Kan.

(aa) Richard Grant, Jr.

(c) Henry Gregory Prout, born Deer Lodge, Mont., Oct. 31, 1897; married to Gretchen . Residence, Kansas City, Mo.

5. Harold Bingham Milner, born Dec. 18, 1855; died Feb. 22, 1861. Buried at Alliance City Cemetery, Ohio.

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6. Mary Emeline Milner Montgomery, born at Salineville, Ohio; Aug. 6, 1860; died June 15, 1942; married Dec. 16, 1879, to Franklin Cass Montgomery, who died March 31, 1905.

(a) Franklin Terence Montgomery, born Hays, Kansas, Nov. 13, 1880. Residence, San Francisco, Calif. In U. S. service in Pacific Ocean.

(b) Paul Milner Montgomery, born Chaney, Wash., June 12, 1883; married Aug. 4, 1906, to Ada Jarboe of Holton, Kansas. Residence, 1825 Westwood Drive, Topeka, Kansas.

(aa) Catherine Mary Montgomery Brandenburg, born, Topeka, Kansas, Sept. 30, 1909; married June 20, 1934, to William Agnew Johnston Brandenburg. Residence, Kansas City, Mo.

(aaa) William Agnew Johnson Brandenburg, Jr., born Kansas City, Kan., Feb. 7, 1939.

(bb) Paul Jarboe Montgomery, born Topeka, Kansas, Feb. 7, 1914; married July 1, 1939, to Helen Gibler. Residence, Bermuda.

(c) William Penn Montgomery, born Seattle, Wash., Feb. 1, 1886; Captain in U. S. Army; died June 23, 1931; married 1910, to Helen Henrietta Johnston. Residence, Topeka, Kan.

(aa) William Penn Montgomery, Jr., born Girard, Kansas, Aug. 20, 1911; died Jan. 1932.

(d) Mary Queen Montgomery, born July 15, 1893; died March 3, 1894.

7. Flora Virginia Milner Livingston, born Alliance, Ohio, Nov. 25, 1862; married Feb. 1, 1891, to Luther Livingston, who died Dec. 24, 1914. Residence, Widener Memorial Library, Cambridge, Mass. (Harvard University).

8. Charles Harold Milner, born Alliance, Ohio, Aug. 9, 1866; died June 3, 1942; married June 1, 1912, to Edith Oliver. Residence, Oakland, Calif.

III. Euphemia Milner Brooks, born April 22, 1826; died Feb. 24, 1883; married June 18, 1846, to George Brooks, who was born March 31, 1824, and who died Jan. 17, 1892.

1. William Milner Brooks, born Aug. 24, 1847; died Feb. 27, 1920; married March 28, 1878, to Priscilla Ray, who was born June 13, 1852, and who died May 29, 1920.

(a) Elva Judson Brooks, born Dec. 26, 1878; married Nov. 14, 1912, to Ethele Anise Freeborn, who was born May 22, 1890. Residence, R. F. D. 2, Wellston, Ohio.

(aa) Dorothy Eloise Forsythe, born Sept. 1, 1913; married Oct. 3, 1941, to Walter Forsythe, Jr. Residence, Mt. Pleasant, Ohio.

(b) Gertrude May Brooks Nichols, born March 26, 1880; mar-

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ried April 21, 1906, to Herman Nichols, who was born Jan. 2, 1881. Residence, R. F. D. 2, Wellston, Ohio.

(aa) Ray Judson Nichols, born June 28, 1907; married April, 1932, to Bonnie Maxine Kinsel, who was born Sept. 11, 1916. Residence, Wellston, Ohio.

(aaa) Ronald Ray Nichols, born May 28, 1934.

(bbb) Connie Jo Nichols, born Oct. 7, 1937.

(bb) Edith Faye Nichols, born Aug. 29, 1910 }
 (cc) Ethel Mae Nichols, born Aug. 29, 1910 } twins.

(c) Aurelia Ray Brooks, born April 14, 1889; died Oct. 20, 1918.

2. Mary Elizabeth Brooks Baker, born June 29, 1849, at Jackson, Ohio; died Iowaville, Ia., Aug. 26, 1871; married April 12, 1868, to George Anson Baker, M.D., who was born in Luzerne County, Penn., July 15, 1844, and who died at West Plains, Mo., April 30, 1910.

(a) Bertha Mae Baker Winsell, born in Jackson County, Ohio, Feb. 14, 1869; married Aug. 21, 1895, to Charles Rankin Winsell, who was born in Jefferson County, Ia., June 6, 1872. Residence, R. D. 1, Selma, Ia.

(aa) Ruth J. Winsell Spilman, born in Jefferson County, Ia., Sept. 5, 1899; married Dec. 5, 1917, to George Henry Spilman, who was born in Davis County, Ia., Nov. 8, 1892. Residence, R. D. 1, Selma, Ia.

(aaa) Ramon DeVon Spilman, born at Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 7, 1921.

(bb) Thelma Naomi Winsell Wilkinson, born in Jefferson County, Ia., Nov. 16, 1909; married Jan. 3, 1932, to James Russell Wilkinson, who was born at Anoka, Minn., Jan. 5, 1910.

(aaa) Phyllis Jeane Wilkinson, born in Linn County, Ia., July 31, 1934.

(bbb) Jacqueline Bernice Wilkinson, born in Linn County, Ia., April 25, 1936.

(ccc) Ruth Elaine Wilkinson, born in Beauregard Parish, La., Feb. 12, 1938.

(ddd) Charles Craig Wilkinson, born in Jefferson County, Ia., June 16, 1940.

(b) Ruth Jane Baker, born at Iowaville, Ia., Aug. 9, 1871; died Sept. 2, 1871.

3. Frances Miranda Brooks Ray, born Sept. 22, 1851; died Jan. 21, 1898; married April 13, 1871, to Dr. Lorenzo Dixon Ray, who was born Aug. 3, 1848, and who died April 1, 1910.

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(a) Minnie V. Ray Gallagher, born March 1, 1872; married to Tilson Gallagher. Residence, Ione, Wash.

(b) Jeannette V. Ray Manlove Branham, born Oct. 24, 1873; married Nov. 3, 1890, to Norman C. Manlove.

(aa) Mildred Ethel Manlove, born July 21, 1891; died Nov. 1, 1898.

(bb) Roy Percy Manlove, born May 25, 1894; married June 28, 1918, to Emma Kreuter. Residence, 14 Chestnut St., Newark, N. J.

(aaa) Robert Taylor Manlove, born March 28, 1923.

(bbb) Hazel Jeannette Manlove, born Oct. 29, 1924.

(cc) Howard Lorenzo Manlove, born Aug. 14, 1901; married Dec. 8, 1921, to Jennie Terhark. Residence, 1683 Roblyn Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

(aaa) Lindley Denton Manlove, born July 2, 1922.

(bbb) Donald Gene Manlove, born
Dec. 18, 1924.

(ccc) Donna Shirley Manlove, born
Dec. 18, 1924.

} twins.

(ddd) Gerald Halwood Manlove, born Nov. 10, 1926.

(eee) Juanita Jane Manlove, born July 3, 1929.

(fff) Marilyn Rae Manlove, born Aug. 6, 1935.

(dd) Victor Manlove, born Aug. 14, 1901; married Aug. 14, 1924, to Ethel Robertson. Minister. Residence, Route 3, Greene, Ia.

(aaa) Leroy Robertson Manlove, born June 27, 1926.

(bbb) David Oliver Manlove, born June 9, 1930.

(ccc) Lois Jeannette Manlove, born July 9, 1937.

(ddd) Victor Ray Manlove, born Aug. 14, 1940.

NOTE: Jeannette Manlove Branham, married second, June 11, 1921, to Edwin Raymond Branham, who was born June 12, 1879. Residence, R. F. D. 4, Park Rapids, Minn.

(c) Victor LeRoy Ray, born Nov. 27, 1875; died July 13, 1924; married June 17, 1903, to Mae Baker, who was born March 28, 1879. Residence, 24 Wroe Avenue, Dayton, Ohio.

(aa) Bonnie Ray Foster Steckle, born Nov. 24, 1905; married Oct. 12, 1927, to Manley Foster. Married, second, March 22, 1939, to William Steckel. Residence, 24 Wroe Avenue, Dayton, Ohio.

(aaa) Sharon Ray Steckel, born Dec. 5, 1940. Residence, 24 Wroe Ave., Dayton, Ohio.

4. Julia Milner Brooks Storer, born March 8, 1854; died April

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25, 1915; married Oct. 24, 1872, to James W. Storer, who was born Sept. 18, 1849, and who died Nov. 17, 1927.

(a) William Ernest Storer, born March 26, 1875; married to Huldah Johnson. Residence, 49 Koffman St., Jackson, Ohio.

(aa) Ernest Floyd Storer, born Dec. 18, 1899.

(b) Hattie Storer Byers, born Nov. 1, 1873; died Dec. 26, 1926; married to William Byers.

(aa) Jessie Byers, born July 2, 1897.

(bb) James Raymond Byers, born Aug. 12, 1898. Residence, 409 Mill St., Flushing, Mich.

(cc) Bertha Lucilla Byers, born Jan. 21, 1906.

(c) Lyman P. Storer, born April 24, 1880; died April 9, 1909. (Was married, but no children.)

(d) Mary Effie Storer, born March 4, 1883. Unmarried. Residence, 612 West 7th Ave., Flint, Mich.

(e) Frances Addie Storer Hutchinson, born Oct. 26, 1885; married Dec. 11, 1912, to Orville Hutchinson, who was born Oct. 31, 1886. Residence, West Fourth St., Wellston, Ohio.

(aa) Edith Pauline Hutchinson Moshier, born Nov. 20, 1913; married to Harry Moshier. Residence, Wellston, Ohio.

(aaa) Charles Arthur Moshier, born Jan. 1, 1935.

(bbb) Clara Frances Moshier, born June 28, 1936.

(ccc) Rita Ann Moshier, born Dec. 1, 1937.

(bb) Orville Leroy Hutchinson, born Aug. 13, 1917. Residence, Wellston, Ohio.

(cc) Joseph Walter Hutchinson, born April 17, 1927. Residence, Wellston, Ohio.

(f) George R. Storer, born March 11, 1888; married Dec. 21, 1910, to Cora Swaney. Residence, Route 1, Xenia, Ohio.

(g) Bertha S. Storer Shambow, born Feb. 17, 1890; married Nov. 6, 1930, to George Shambow, who was born Aug. 15, 1873. Residence, 1304 Tenth St., St. Cloud, Fla.

(h) Clarence R. Storer, born June 11, 1896. Residence, Bowersville, Ohio.

5. Rachel Brooks Perry Reynish, born June 20, 1856; died March 6, 1933; married to George W. C. Perry. Married, second, to William Reynish. Residence at time of death, 202 Caldwell St., Chillicothe, Ohio.

(a) Mabel Susan Perry Immel, born Nov. 17, 1880; married to Fred Immel.

(b) Vivian Perry Hannon, born Feb. 28, 1893; died Oct. 1, 1934; married to James Hannon.

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6. Philena Brooks, born Sept. 28, 1859; died June 9, 1866.

7. Thomas Lyman Brooks, born April 21, 1863; died Dec. 19, 1924; married Oct. 26, 1886, to Mary Mollie Hull, who was born Feb. 19, 1868; died May 6, 1923.

(a) Everett Judson Brooks, born Aug. 23, 1887; married May 15, 1930, to Ella Painter. Residence, 535 Wooster Avenue, Akron, Ohio.

(b) Dewitt Erwin Brooks, born July 6, 1889. Residence, Chardon, Ohio.

(c) Heber Holbrook Brooks, born May 21, 1891; married July 30, 1919, to Mildred Glazier, who was born March 17, 1889. and died Feb. 2, 1928. Residence, 160 South St. Clair, Painesville, Ohio.

(aa) Ruth E. Brooks Painter, born June 21, 1921; married Oct. 24, 1940, to Clarence Painter.

(bb) Claude Brooks, born Sept. 5, 1923.

(cc) Albert Brooks, born March 8, 1925. } twins
(dd) Adelbert Brooks, born March 8, 1925. }

NOTE: Heber Holbrook Brooks, married, second, Nov. 9, 1936, to Mary Geer, born April 16, 1889.

(d) Goldwin Brooks, born Dec. 4, 1893; died Dec. 17, 1893.

(e) Wilkie Waldo Brooks, born Nov. 22, 1894; married to Esther Dean. Residence, R. F. D., Galion, Ohio.

(aa) George Brooks

(bb) Elenore Brooks

(cc) Joan Brooks

(f) Frederick Brooks, born Dec. 25, 1895; died Dec. 25, 1895.

(g) Thomas Lyman Brooks, born May 6, 1896; married April 28, 1917, to Pauline Jones, born Sept. 4, 1899. Residence, 11 Newell St., Painesville, Ohio.

(aa) George Adelbert Brooks, born June 10, 1918; married May 2, 1942, to Dorothy Hein.

(bb) Louise Elenore Brooks Chapman, born Jan. 4, 1921; married Nov. 30, 1940, to Ellis Chapman.

(aaa) Donald Lee Chapman, born Nov. 1, 1941.

(cc) Wayne Kenneth Brooks, born Aug. 10, 1923.

(dd) Eugene Glenn Brooks, born June 25, 1931.

(ee) Virginia Pearl Brooks, born Nov. 11, 1932.

(h) Ralph Wendell Brooks, born March 24, 1900; married Dec. 22, 1923, to Lola Brown, who was born March 10, 1907. Residence, Sherman Street, Geneva, Ohio. (Geneva Bakery).

(aa) Alberta Lola Brooks, born Oct. 12, 1924.

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(bb) Ralph Sidney Brooks, born Feb. 2, 1929.

(i) Mary Edythe Brooks Remely, born Feb. 7, 1903; died April 15, 1937; married June 29, 1920, to William Remely. Residence, Route 84, Perry, Ohio.

(aa) Robert Remely, born Aug. 13, 1921. Now in U. S. Navy.

(j) Charles Theadore Brooks, born Dec. 25, 1905. Residence, Cowles House, Painesville, Ohio.

8. George W. Brooks, born at Jackson, Ohio, Nov. 13, 1865; died April 5, 1934, at Rio Grande, Ohio; married 1900, to Susie Shockey, who was born Aug. 14, 1874, and who died Aug. 6, 1903; married, second, April 12, 1916, to Dorothy Eleanor Randall, who was born Jan. 4, 1884, Jackson Township, Jackson County, Ohio. Residence, Rio Grande, Ohio.

(a) George Randall Brooks, born Feb. 2, 1917, in Jackson County, Ohio; married Feb. 12, 1939, to Geneva DeLille, who was born at Rodney, Gallia County, Ohio, July 31, 1918. Residence, Rodney, Ohio.

(aa) Dorothy Marilyn Brooks, born at Rodney, Ohio, March 15, 1940.

(b) Eleanor Randall Brooks, born in Jackson Township, Jackson County, Ohio, Feb. 21, 1921. Residence, Rio Grande, Ohio.

(c) Anna Evelyn Brooks, born in Jackson Township, Jackson County, Ohio, Oct. 3, 1922. Residence, Rio Grande, Ohio.

9. James Lyman Brooks, born Nov. 13, 1865; died June 18, 1866. Twin brother of George W. Brooks.

IV. Samantha Milner (Russell) (Criss) Marshall, born at Salineville, Ohio, Aug. 12, 1828; died June 1, 1911; married to Alex Russell; married, second, to James Criss; married third to Harvey Marshall, who was born 1826, and who died Feb. 1912.

1. Rebecca Caroline Russell Burnside, born June 27, 1849; died June 12, 1936; married March 1867, to George Burnside, who died Aug. 7, 1911.

(a) Katherine Burnside Craig Downard, born Feb. 5, 1868; married June 21, 1888, to William Craig now deceased; married second April 4, 1905, to Richard Downer, who died April 8, 1924. Residence, R. F. D. Irondale, Ohio.

(aa) Nellie Burnside Craig Downard, born June 15, 1889; died March 20, 1919; married Dec. 25, 1906 to James Downard now deceased.

(aaa) Zelda Downard McCune, born March 19, 1912; married April 10, 1929, to Wesley McCune. Residence, R. D. Salineville, Ohio.

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(aaa) James McCune, born Feb. 16, 1930.

(bbb) Wesley McCune, Jr., born Aug. 9, 1931.

(ccc) Rose Marie McCune, born April 1, 1933.

(bb) Anna Craig, born Sept. 13, 1892; died Oct. 1, 1895.

(cc) William G. Craig, born Jan. 10, 1895; married to Nancy Veitch. Residence, West Middlesex, Pa.

(aaa) Audrene Craig

(bbb) William Craig

(ccc) Isabell Craig

(dd) Frank Craig, born Jan. 5, 1897. Residence, Sharon, Pa.

(cc) Richard Downard, born Aug. 21, 1906; married in 1931, to Beulah Rhoades, who was born in 1914. Residence R. D. Irondale, Ohio.

(aaa) Nancy Ann Downard, born Dec. 11, 1934.

(bbb) Bernice June Downard, born in 1938.

(b) Huggetta Burnside Griffith Daugherty, born Aug. 26, 1870; married to Griffith, who died Oct. 15, 1915; married, second, to Daugherty. Residence, Farrell, Pa.

(aa) Jennie L. Griffith Riffer, born July 13, 1892.

(bb) George B. Griffith, born Aug. 28, 1896; died Jan. 23, 1897.

(cc) Gladys Griffith Matthews, born Dec. 7, 1907.

(c) Edward A. Burnside, born July 3, 1873; married; died May 1934.

(aa) Edward A. Burnside, Jr. Residence, Farrell, Pa.

(d) Matilda V. Burnside, born Feb. 6, 1876; died Sept. 15, 1888.

(e) Nancy E. Burnside Auberle, born March 7, 1878; married to Fred Auberle, who died June 12, 1939. Residence, Aliquippa, Pa.

(aa) Anna J. Auberle Myers, born Dec. 8, 1896. Residence, Aliquippa, Pa.

(f) Samantha J. Burnside Eberling, born March 29, 1880; married to Charles Eberling. Residence, 143 Shenango Blvd., Farrell, Pa.

(aa) George Eberling, born Feb. 16, 1901, deceased.

(bb) Frederick Eberling, born May 10, 1903, deceased.

(cc) Mary Eberling Kidd, born Aug. 22, 1906.

(dd) Edward Eberling, born June 24, 1913.

(ee) Carl Eberling, born June 4, 1921.

(g) John R. Burnside, born Sept. 11, 1882; died Aug. 11, 1888.

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(h) Ethel J. Burnside Fowler, born Feb. 11, 1886, married to Frank Fowler, who is deceased.

(aa) Pearl Fowler, born Sept. 17, 1905.

(bb) Rebecca Fowler Omar.

(cc) Nancy Fowler.

(dd) Rose Fowler.

(ee) John Fowler.

(i) Mary Burnside, born March 11, 1891; died March 24, 1916.

2. Alexander Russell, born June 27, 1851; died at Alliance, Ohio, Sept. 1869. Resided at Irondale, Ohio.

3. Hughetta Russell McBane, born March 8, 1853; died May 15, 1894; married April 3, 1873, to Alex McBane who was born June 2, 1852, and who died April 23, 1923.

(d) William C. McBane, born Jan. 14, 1874; married April 23, 1895, to Frances A. Jackson, who was born March 9, 1875, and who died Oct. 23, 1927. Residence, Irondale, Ohio.

(aa) Edgar A. McBane, born May 4, 1896; died April 12, 1927.

(bb) Hughetta E. McBane Russell, born Feb. 4, 1898; married Aug. 27, 1921, to Robert Lee Russell, who was born Feb. 22, 1898. Residence, Irondale, Ohio.

(aaa) James Lee Russell, born March 2, 1923.

(bbb) Robert Calvin Russell, born Jan. 29, 1929.

(cc) Margaret Frances McBane Staley, born Aug. 3, 1913; married Feb. 9, 1934, to Harold Staley, who was born Aug. 17, 1911. Residence, Chester, W. Va.

(aaa) Deloris Elaine Staley, born April 8, 1937.

(b) Robert McBane, born May 4, 1876; died March 21, 1941.

(c) Hugh McBane, born May 28, 1882; married Feb. 18, 1906, to Anna Rake who was born Feb. 22, 1884. Residence, 709 Kennilworth Ave. S. E., Warren, Ohio.

(aa) Olive M. McBane, born April 29, 1908.

(bb) Sidney C. McBane, born Oct. 30, 1910; married July 6, 1940, to Martha Velma Wilson. Residence, 906 Market Street, Warren, Ohio.

(aaa) Nancy Lynne McBane, born Aug. 29, 1941.

(cc) Elmer L. McBane, born Nov. 15, 1912; married June 6, 1936, to Mary Virginia Gourley. Residence, Warren, Ohio.

(aaa) Joyce Ann McBane, born May 26, 1937.

(bbb) Carol Lee McBane, born July 26, 1940.

G. Julia Maria Hart Milner—Family Chart Continued

(dd) John Alexander McBane, born Jan. 6, 1918; married July 26, 1941, to Lois E. Mastern. Residence, 169 Willard N. E., Warren, Ohio.

(ee) Robert Lee McBane, born Sept. 2, 1927. Residence, 709 Kennilworth Ave. S. E., Warren, Ohio.

(d) John S. McBane, born May 28, 1886; died March 2, 1936; married to Annie Strabley, now deceased. Resided at Warren, Ohio.

(c) Grace S. McBane Stout, born May 3, 1888; married Jan. 1, 1910, to Harrison L. Stout, who died Aug. 19, 1916. Residence, Irondale, Ohio.

(aa) Goldie Mildred Stout, born Sept. 14, 1910; died Oct. 24, 1919.

(f) Hughetta McBane, born May 12, 1894; died Sept. 12, 1894.

Note: Samantha Milner Russell Criss Marshall, married second to James Criss.

4. Mary Abigail Criss Beckwith, born June 11, 1857, Monroeville, Jefferson County, Ohio; died June 1, 1936, and is buried in Standing Rock Cemetery, Kent, Ohio; married March 7, 1876, to Frank Beckwith, who was born near Kent, Ohio, June 11, 1851. Residence of Mr. Beckwith, R. D. 1, Kent, Ohio.

(a) James Marvin Beckwith, born near Earlville, Ohio, Feb. 11, 1877; married Oct. 4, 1900, to Hattie Keener, who was born in Mogadore, Ohio, May 1, 1881. Residence, R. D. 1, Kent, Ohio.

(aa) Glorene Beckwith McCasky, born Brady Lake, Ohio, Aug. 14, 1901; married June 29, 1921, to Harold McCasky of Akron, Ohio, who was born April 2, 1899. Residence Westwood Avenue, Akron, Ohio.

(aaa) Ruth Eloise McCasky, born May 21, 1922; died May 23, 1922.

(bbb) Harold Glenn McCasky, born July 7, 1924.

(ccc) Mary Lou McCasky, born Jan. 10, 1930.

(bb) Helen Marie Beckwith Greene, born June 2, 1903, married June 4, 1923, to Donald Greene, who was born April 3, 1903. Residence, 1017 Vine St., Kent, Ohio.

(aaa) Mary Greene, born May 10, 1924.

(bbb) Jacie Greene, born Aug. 4, 1926; died April 7, 1932.

(ccc) James Greene, born Nov. 1, 1928.

(ddd) Donna Greene, born Oct. 20, 1932.

(eee) Alice Greene, born Jan. 26, 1935.

(fff) Linda Lee Greene, born Nov. 9, 1939.

G. Julia Maria Hart Milner—Family Chart Continued

(cc) Edwin Beckwith, born April 10, 1908; married Dec. 21, 1933, to Gwen Skelly of Ravenna, Ohio.

(dd) Glenwood Beckwith, born April 9, 1910; married Jan. 1, 1934, to Dolly Tharp of Canton, Ohio. Residence, Brecksville, Ohio.

(aaa) Nancy Beckwith, born Nov. 25, 1934.

(bbb) Glenwood James Beckwith, born Sept. 25, 1941.

(ee) Wilma Beckwith Buckholdt, born Oct. 18, 1912; died May 15, 1937; married Aug. 25, 1935, to Leonard Buckholdt.

(aaa) June Marie Buckholdt, born June 1, 1936.

(ff) Richard Eugene Beckwith, born Aug. 25, 1918.

(gg) Robert Earl Beckwith, born Jan. 10, 1921.

(b) Maud Beckwith Woy, born Dec. 17, 1878; married Sept. 19, 1900, to Bert L. Woy, born Sept. 25, 1870. Residence, 580 Girard Ave., Marion, Ohio.

(aa) Louise Woy, born Galion, Ohio, March 22, 1902; died April 11, 1902. Buried at Kent, Ohio.

(bb) Harvey Eugene Woy, born Nov. 22, 1904; married June 2, 1932, to Martha Osterholt, who was born Oct. 15, 1911. Residence, 905 Oak Grove Ave., Marion, Ohio.

(aaa) Ruth Ann Woy, born Feb. 11, 1933.

(cc) Mary Esther Woy Crosby, born April 19, 1906; married July 22, 1929, to Lynn B. Crosby of Cleveland, Ohio.

(aaa) Robert Lynn Crosby, born Oct. 27, 1931, at Chicago, Ill.

(bbb) Jack Henry Crosby, born Aug. 3, 1934, at Peoria, Ill.

(dd) Grace Elizabeth Woy Williams, born Sept. 18, 1908; married Dec. 31, 1930, to Garnett Wallace Williams, who was born May 3, 1899. Residence, Superior St., Marion, Ohio.

(aaa) Linton Eugene Williams, born July 13, 1933.

(bbb) Theodora Newton Williams, born Nov. 9, 1934.

(ee) Frances Beckwith Woy Buck, born Aug. 5, 1914; married June 13, 1939, to Robert Buck, who was born Oct. 26, 1919. Residence, 768 Oakland Bldg., Marion, Ohio.

(aaa) Barbara Jean Buck, born Aug. 7, 1940.

(c) Ida May Beckwith Stratton, born Feb. 5, 1881; married Sept. 23, 1903, to Harry J. Stratton, who was born Aug. 31, 1873. Residence, R. D. 1, Kent, Ohio. (Brady Lake.)

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(aa) Robert William Stratton, (Adopted son), born Sept. 11, 1912, married June 11, 1935, to Dorothy Jones, who was born June 11, 1915. Residence, Brady Lake Rd., R. D. 1, Kent, Ohio.

(aaa) Robert Lee Stratton, born June 17, 1936.

(bbb) Patty Lou Stratton, born March 7, 1941.

(d) Minnie Dell Beckwith Given, born May 8, 1883; died Jan. 17, 1924, and is buried in Standing Rock Cemetery, Kent, Ohio; married to William J. Given, who was born in Londonderry, Ireland, June 12, 1884, and who died Oct. 29, 1934.

(aa) William J. Given, Jr., born Feb. 26, 1910; married Sept. 14, 1935, to Mary Borden Burkhead. Residence, Ft. Knox, Ky.

(aaa) Gail Sherrard Given, born Nov. 11, 1940.

(bb) Clinton B. Given, born Jan. 7, 1924, residence, 10 S. Monterey, Mobile, Ala.

(NOTE: William J. Given was married second in 1926 to Dewitt Dillard. Residence, 10 S. Monterey, Mobile, Ala.

(e) Myrtle E. Beckwith Hurlbut, born April 12, 1885; married July 24, 1909, to Drayton Hurlbut, who was born Nov. 16, 1881. Residence, 2549 Front St., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

(aa) Madora Hurlbut Swartz, born Sept. 7, 1910; married April 6, 1935, to Curtis Swartz. Residence, 2249 15th St., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

(aaa) Drayton Lewis Swartz, born Nov. 24, 1940.

(bb) Elnora May Hurlbut Anderson, born Feb. 9, 1913; married Dec. 16, 1936, to C. V. Anderson, who was born Oct. 23, 1907. Residence, 1614 23rd St., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

(cc) Mollie Louise Hurlbut Wright, born Aug. 2, 1915; married March 11, 1936, to Harold Wright. Residence, 44 Britton Rd., Akron, Ohio.

(dd) Laura Jean Hurlbut, born Feb. 28, 1918; died March 17, 1918.

(ee) Edith Grace Hurlbut, born Jan. 20, 1921. Residence, 2549 Front St., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

(ff) Emily Dell Hurlbut, born Aug. 29, 1924. Residence, 2549 Front St., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

(f) John F. Beckwith, born April 19, 1887; married Sept. 8, 1908, to Pauline Farnum, who was born Sept. 16, 1886; and who died Dec. 20, 1934.

(aa) Mary Beckwith Soper, born Aug. 5, 1910; married March 1, 1934, to Cleveland Soper.

G. Julia Maria Hart Milner—Family Chart Continued

(aaa) Cleveland Soper, Jr., born Jan. 25, 1935.

NOTE: John F. Beckwith married second June 13, 1936, to Linna V. Walker of Lorain, Ohio. Their residence is R. D. 1, Kent, Ohio.

(g) Grace Brenner Beckwith Burbank Cale, born March 10, 1889; married Sept. 5, 1916, to William C. Burbank, who was born Aug. 18, 1893. Now deceased.

(aa) William C. Burbank, Jr., born Aug. 17, 1920; married Nov. 20, 1940, to Margaret Weaver of Cuyahoga Falls. Residence, Warren, Ohio.

(aaa) Gail Marie Burbank, born Jan. 18, 1942.

NOTE: Grace Brenner Beckwith Burbank married second to A. I. Cale. Their residence is 342 Elm St., Ravenna, Ohio.

(h) Susan Beckwith Jacobs, born Aug. 2, 1891; married Feb. 24, 1920, to Leonard Jacobs who was born Jan. 28, 1890. Residence, Raney St., Akron, Ohio.

(aa) Lucy Jacobs, born Nov. 20, 1921.

(bb) Betty Jacobs, born Jan. 1, 1924.

(cc) Jane Jacobs, born June 22, 1926.

(i) Jean L. Beckwith, born Feb. 10, 1894; married March 16, 1921, to Bertha Sever, who was born Oct. 4, 1900. Residence, Ravenna, Ohio, R. D. 4.

(aa) Clifford Beckwith, born Jan. 5, 1922.

(bb) Rodger Beckwith, born June 1, 1923.

(cc) Martha Joan Beckwith, born March 5, 1926.

(dd) Joyce Louise Beckwith, born Jan. 31, 1932.

(j) Jay W. Beckwith, born March 14, 1896; married Aug. 29, 1925, to Grace Geisinger, who was born Dec. 29, 1903. Residence, R. D. 1, Kent, Ohio.

(aa) Charles Beckwith, born Nov. 2, 1927.

(k) Lucy Beckwith, born June 26, 1898; died Sept. 28, 1919, and buried in Standing Rock Cemetery, Kent, Ohio.

(l) Lucille Beckwith, born June 26, 1898; died Aug. 8, 1898. Twin sister of Lucy Beckwith.

(m) Allen P. Beckwith, born June 12, 1902. Residence, So. Water St., Kent, Ohio.

5. Stephen Criss, born Aug. 27, 1860; died Sept. 19, 1885.

6. Emma Criss McNelly, born Dec. 8, 1862; married Nov. 28, 1879, to Samuel McNelly, who died 1924.

(a) Julia McNelly Stoddard, born Dec. 25, 1880; married Oct.

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13, 1901, to Jesse Stoddard, who was born Dec. 25, 1877. Residence, Richland Center, Wis.

(aa) Laura Mae Stoddard Cupp, born June 29, 1906; married to Glennis Cupp, who was born Oct. 19, 1903.

(aaa) Lucille Cupp, born Oct. 9, 1927.

(bbb) Harold Cupp, born April 30, 1930.

(bb) Charles Sterling Stoddard, born April 7, 1916; married to Myra Nelson, who died March 5, 1938.

(cc) George Wesley Stoddard, born Dec. 17, 1918.

(b) Monroe D. McNelly, born Oct. 10, 1882; married to Myrtle Hickman, who died 1941.

(aa) Sterling McNelly.

(bb) George McNelly.

(c) Steven S. McNelly, born Sept. 30, 1885; married to Caroline Taylor, who died June 25, 1936.

(aa) Theodore McNelly

(bb) Lucille McNelly

(cc) James McNelly

(dd) John McNelly

(d) Laura McNelly Jennings, born May 6, 1887; married Aug. 18, 1926 to Russel Jennings, who was born Jan. 27, 1883.

(e) Florence McNelly Palmer Williams, born June 17, 1889; married to Guy Palmer; married second to Williams. Residence, 3901 Cheasty Blvd., Seattle, Wash.

(aa) Mable Palmer Proctor, born Feb. 19, 1910; married to Roy D. Proctor.

(bb) Velora Palmer Welfelt, born Aug. 22, 1912; married to George Welfelt.

(cc) Myrtle Palmer, born March 29, 1916.

(dd) James Lloyd Williams, born Oct. 27, 1935.

(f) Huggetta McNelly Radke, born Sept. 9, 1891, married to Herbert Radke. Residence, Millsville, Wis.

(g) Gladys McNelly Stoffel, born Sept. 14, 1895; married to Glynn Stoffel.

(aa) Jeannette Stoffel

(h) Sterling H. McNelly, born April 26, 1897; died in 1941.

(i) Ruby Mae McNelly Smith, born Sept. 16, 1899; married to Joe Smith.

(j) Farrel McNelly, born Dec. 28, 1901; married to Eunice Engel. Residence, 11867 S. Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal.

(aa) Gordon McNelly

(bb) Judy McNelly

(cc) Patric McNelly

7. Julia Criss Bulard, born Aug. 30, 1865; married Jan. 1, 1890, to George Bulard. Residence, Ardmore, Okla.

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(a) George Asa Bulard, Jr., born Jan. 5, 1897; married to Elvya Hale. Residence, 20 Ninth Ave. N. W., Ardmore, Okla.

NOTE: Samantha Milner Russell Criss Marshall married third to Harvey Marshall of Richland Center, Wis.

V. GEORGE WASHINGTON MILNER, born April 22, 1831; died March 12, 1890; married to Mary A. Morrow, who was born March 28, 1837, and who died Oct. 2, 1861. She is buried in Monroeville Cemetery near Salineville, Ohio.

1. William and Charles Milner, twins, deceased, buried in Monroeville Cemetery near Salineville, Ohio.

2. Nancy Maria Milner Ferrall, born 1841, married to Peter Ferrall.

NOTE: George Washington Milner, was married second to Lydia Reeder, Dec. 1861; both are buried in Hanoverton Cemetery.

3. William S. Milner, born Jan. 6, 1864; married Feb. 24, 1887, to Lizzie Hively, who was born Feb. 11, 1869. Residence, R. D. 3, Newark, Ohio.

(a) Homer H. Milner, born July 29, 1890; died Feb. 20, 1898.

(b) Ralph S. Milner, born Sept. 28, 1895; married Aug. 29, 1917, to Beatrice Vernon, who was born May 10, 1895. Residence, R. D. 3, Granville, Ohio.

(aa) Ralph S. Milner, Jr., born May 25, 1916; married June 6, 1934, to Mildred Cramer, who was born May 25, 1916. Residence, Route 3, Granville, Ohio.

(aaa) Ralph Sterling Milner, born July 13, 1935.

(bbb) Mary Elizabeth Milner, born Dec. 11, 1940.

(bb) William J. Milner, born May 24, 1918. Residence, R. D. 3, Granville, Ohio.

(c) Leroy I. Milner, born Dec. 23, 1897; married Dec. 6, 1916, to Ida E. Johns, who was born Dec. 23, 1897. Residence, Route 3, Newark, Ohio.

(aa) Mary Alice Milner Anderson, born Oct. 18, 1917; married Nov. 7, 1936, to Franklin Anderson, who was born June 4, 1917. Residence, Route 3, Newark, Ohio.

(aaa) Janie Anderson, born May 29, 1937.

(bbb) Nancy Anderson, born May 15, 1940.

(bb) John Henry Milner, born Aug. 26, 1919. Residence, Route 3, Newark, Ohio.

(cc) Grace Elizabeth Milner, born April 11, 1921. Residence, Route 3, Newark, Ohio.

(dd) Charles Leroy Milner, born March 9, 1922. Residence, Route 3, Newark, Ohio.

G. Julia Maria Hart Milner—Family Chart Continued

4. Annie L. Milner, born Nov. 2, 1866; died Nov. 23, 1887. Buried in Hanoverton Cemetery.

5. Emma C. Milner Lozier, born Aug. 14, 1869; died 1905; married to Owen Lozier.

(a) Ezra G. Lozier, born July 5, 1892.

(b) Earl H. Lozier, born Feb. 12, 1895.

6. Ida Milner Cope, born Nov. 7, 1871; married in 1900 to Charles Fremont Cope, who was born April 15, 1857, and who died Feb. 4, 1931. Both buried in Hanoverton Cemetery.

VI. HARRIET MILNER HUTSON, born at Salineville, Ohio, Nov. 29, 1833; married to N. Hutson.

1. Lyman C. Hutson, born May 17, 1852.

2. John Byron Hutson, born April 12, 1855; married to Hannah Shaffer. Residence, south of Salineville, Ohio.

3. Lucy Ann Hutson Wallace, born March 5, 1861; died 1898; married to Daniel Wallace, who died at Bergholz, Ohio, in 1904.

(a) Frank S. Wallace, born Dec. 27, 1884; married Aug. 10, 1910, to Emma Nelson. Residence, 666 Motherwill Ave., Logan, Ohio.

(aa) Ruth Wallace, born June 11, 1911, deceased. (twin of bb).

(bb) Roy D. Wallace, born June 11, 1911; married July 3, 1937, to Gladys Ewart.

(aaa) Richard Erwin Ewart, born April 18, 1939, died in infancy.

(bbb) Loren David Ewart, born April 9, 1940.

(b) Lyman Milner Wallace, born April 7, 1886.

(c) Alvin R. Wallace, born April 7, 1890.

(d) Harry Virgil Wallace, born July 15, 1891.

(e) Robert D. Wallace, born July, 1893. Residence, Lisbon, Ohio.

(f) Wilmer Wallace, married to Essie Hunter.

(g) Ray Wallace. Residence, 1329 Wooster Rd. W., Barberton, Ohio.

4. Mary Hutson Wallace, born May 12, 1866; married to Daniel Wallace, his second marriage, and former husband of her sister, Lucy Ann Hutson Wallace.

VII. LYMAN HART MILNER, born at Salineville, Ohio, Oct. 1, 1836; died at Alliance, Ohio, Oct. 16, 1914; married to Frances S. Combs, who was born in 1839, and died in 1908.

1. Jessie S. Milner, born Dec. 21, 1869; died in 1919.

2. Blanche L. Milner, born July 31, 1872; died in 1927.

3. Roy P. Milner, born April 18, 1874; died Nov. 15, 1885.

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VIII. MIRANDA MILNER LONGABAUGH, born at Salineville, Ohio, Sept. 21, 1839; died April 23, 1914; married Jan. 14, 1863, to Josiah Longabaugh, who was born Jan. 12, 1827, and who died June 23, 1894. Resided at Angola, Ind.

1. Harold Alroy Longabaugh, born May 14, 1864; died Oct. 20, 1864.

2. Emma Longabaugh Sheets, born at Angola, Ind., Jan. 26, 1866; married Nov. 17, 1887, to Charles Albert Sheets, who was born at Miltonsburg, Monroe County, Ohio, March 27, 1858, and who died Sept. 9, 1920. Emma Longabaugh Sheets resides at 112 West Broad St., Angola, Ind.

(a) Henry Harcourt Sheets, born at Angola, Ind., Jan. 24, 1902; married March 17, 1924, to Elsta Theodora Moudy, who was born at Auburn, Ind., March 21, 1903. Residence, Angola, Ind.

(aa) Charles Rouley Sheets, born at Angola, Ind., Jan. 6, 1929. Residence, Angola, Ind.

(bb) William Henry Sheets, born at Angola, Ind., June 7, 1939. Residence, Angola, Ind.

3. Lena Longabaugh Sheppard, born Oct. 10, 1868; died Feb. 11, 1925; married Aug. 28, 1890, to Robert P. Sheppard.

4. Mary Longabaugh Miser, born at Angola, Ind., April 27, 1871; married Jan. 4, 1893, to Martin Adelbert Miser, who was born in Grant Township, Dekalb County, Ind., Dec. 4, 1869. Residence, Waterloo, Ind.

(a) Martin Josiah Miser, born at Waterloo, Ind., Aug. 1, 1900; married Dec. 24, 1926, to Frankie Juanita Wise, who was born at Spencerville, Ind., May 24, 1906. Residence, Waterloo, Ind.

(aa) Patricia Ann Miser, born at Waterloo, Ind., Dec. 26, 1929.

(bb) Jane Louise Miser, born at Waterloo, Ind., May 15, 1932.

(cc) Lorna Sue Miser, born at Auburn, Iowa, July 23, 1940. Residence, Waterloo, Ind.

5. William Andrew Longabaugh born at Angola, Indiana, July 2, 1874; married April 19, 1905, to Estelle Blackman who was born at Newark, New Jersey, Feb. 5, 1881. Residence, 47 Mitchell Ave., New Brunswick, New Jersey.

(a) George Robert Longabaugh born at Newark, New Jersey, July 17, 1906; married at Chicago, Illinois, July 2, 1929, to Mae Palmer who was born at Chicago, Illinois, May 12, 1905. Residence, 5445 West End Ave., Chicago, Ill.

(aa) Robert John Longabaugh, born at Chicago, Illinois, Aug. 31, 1931.

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(bb) Richard William Longabaugh, born at Chicago, Illinois, Feb. 21, 1935.

(b) Elizabeth Milner Longabaugh, born at Newark, New Jersey, April 13, 1919. Residence, 47 Mitchell Avenue, New Brunswick, New Jersey.

(c) Prudence Estelle Longabaugh, born at Newark, New Jersey, April 13, 1919. Residence, 47 Mitchell Avenue, New Brunswick, New Jersey.

6. Elizabeth Longabaugh Rae, born at Angola, Indiana, Feb. 17, 1877; married May 1, 1899, to Robert Burns Rae at Bowling Green, Ohio, who was born Jan. 30, 1878, in Pennsylvania. Residence, 430 South Grove Street, Bowling Green, Ohio.

(a) Donna L. Rae Cameron, born at Bowling Green, Ohio, May 8, 1900; married May 26, 1923, to Fred Hall Cameron, who was born at Delta, Ohio, Nov. 28, 1895. Residence, Bowling Green, Ohio.

(aa) Thomas Rae Cameron, born at Toledo, Ohio, April 18, 1925. Residence, Bowling Green, Ohio.

CHAPTER XVIII

My Father—Benjamin Franklin Hart

By WILLIAM L. HART, the Author

In the present chapter of this history, the writer desires not only to pay tribute to a splendid father, Benjamin Franklin Hart, but in connection with the details of his life to picture the incidents of family history and family life common to all the members of the family of his generation.

The circumstances leading to the Hart family emigration from Palmyra, New York, to Columbiana County, Ohio, have already been detailed in Chapter VII of this history. When Silas Hart and his sons, John Swift, Julius Caesar, and his daughter, Maria, reached Washington Township, Columbiana County, they erected and lived in a shack or log cabin located on what was later known as the Fogo farm on the west side of Hazel Run, a tributary of the north branch of Yellow Creek in that township. When John Swift Hart and Prudence Clark Hart were married in 1819, they took up their residence in a log cabin on the east side of Hazel Run on a portion of the Fogo farm where their first nine children were born. The remaining children, including Benjamin Franklin Hart, were born in the large brick homestead located on the hill just north of Yellow Creek in Washington Township, more fully described in Chapter XII of this history.

Benjamin Franklin Hart was born September 17, 1843. Several of his older brothers and sisters were adults, were married, and had gone from home before he was born. In fact, one sister, Lydia Ann Gilson had given birth to a son, John H. Gilson, more than two years before his uncle, Benjamin Franklin Hart, familiarly known as Frank Hart, was born.

Frank Hart, hereinafter sometimes designated as Father Hart, spent his early years as a farmer boy on the Hart homestead farm. Besides the regular farm work there was much forest clearing, timber cutting, stone quarrying and coal mining done on the hills and in the valleys of three farms owned by his father, John Swift Hart, comprising more than four hundred acres, in which he participated.

As a boy he first attended what was known as a subscription school, supported by the private contributions of the people of the neighborhood. The school house, made of logs and hewn benches, was located on the line between the John Dreghorn farm and the most northerly farm owned by John Swift Hart. This schoolhouse burned down about the year 1854 after which a public school was established and a public schoolhouse built on the Theopolis Cox place on the Steubenville road about a mile and a half south of Highlandtown. Here Father Hart's school education was completed before he was eighteen years of age. While his schooling was meager as measured by the standards of this day, yet he could qualify as an educated man. He continued throughout life an eager student and as an earnest reader of books and current literature. This was supplemented by the experiences of a busy civilian life, plus the unusual experiences of three years of military life on the battle fields of the south during the Civil War.

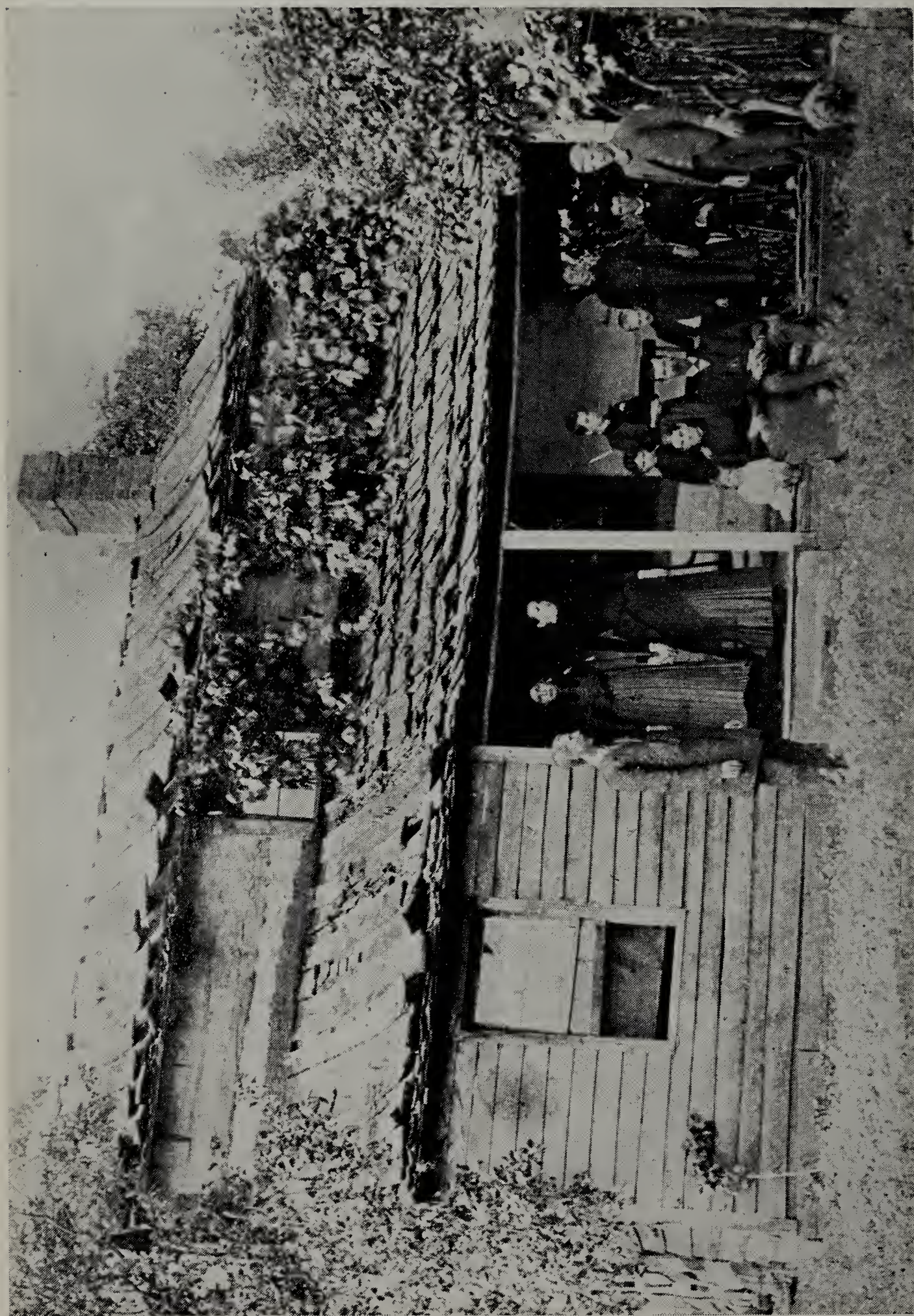
Father Hart was born and reared in the period of the history of the

United States, wherein the slavery issue was moving on to the crisis which resulted in its abolition. He sought and eagerly read the speeches of Webster, Calhoun, Lincoln and Douglass, relating as they did to this great issue. As a very young man, he delved into American history and into the literature of the exciting times of his boyhood years. The writer has in his library a copy of Lossing's History of the United States which ends with the administration of James Buchanan. This volume was owned and read by Father Hart before the Civil War began. On a fly-leaf of this book appears written in his own boyish handwriting the words, "B. F. Hart, his book."

The reactions and decisions of Father Hart and his brothers, as well as the other members of the family, all ardent abolitionists, as they approached the fateful years of the Civil War, were motivated by certain extraordinary events and circumstances which were then transpiring in the nation and even in their own state and neighborhood, events and circumstances which augured ill for the integrity and perpetuity of the nation.

When Father Hart was twelve years of age the new Republican party, to which he later gave lifetime allegiance, was organized at Jackson, Michigan, and John C. Fremont was made its candidate for President upon a platform declaring that slavery was a violation of the rights of men and of the laws of nature which are predicated on personal liberty. When Father Hart was fourteen years of age the great Lincoln-Douglass debates were taking place and were arousing the nation to the impending danger of the destruction of national unity. When Father Hart was fourteen years of age the famous Dred-Scott decision was handed down by the Supreme Court of the United States, holding that a Negro slave, who had been taken into a free state by his master, must be returned to slavery against his will because, having merely the status of property, he could not gain citizenship in another state. When Father Hart was sixteen years of age the John Brown raid or insurrection took place at Harper's Ferry, and John Brown, convicted of treason, was hanged at Charlestown, Virginia, now West Virginia. One of his accomplices was Edwin Coppock, a young man born and reared in Columbiana County not more than twenty miles from the Hart home. He, likewise, was convicted of treason and hanged by the state of Virginia. When Father Hart was seventeen years of age, the great presidential campaign of 1860 was fought out, and Abraham Lincoln was elected President. An ordinance of secession was adopted by the state of South Carolina, followed by similar action on the part of ten other southern states and the organization of a southern confederacy was effected in revolt from the union. Before Father Hart was eighteen years of age Fort Sumpter had been fired upon and the Civil War had begun.

In addition to the foregoing, it must be remembered that the parental home of Clement L. Valandigham, an Ohio Congressman, with southern sympathies, was at Lisbon, the county seat of Columbiana County, thirteen miles from the Hart home; that Valandigham was court martialed and found guilty of treasonable utterances in speeches made in Ohio; that he was banished from the north and delivered beyond the southern army lines by the order of President Lincoln; that he escaped to Canada and while there in exile he was nominated for Governor of Ohio by the Democratic party in 1863, and made a campaign in absentia for the governorship against John



Log Cabin Home of Benjamin F. and Ariel S. Hart and birthplace of their ten children, located on Hazel Run in Ohio River Hills of Columbiana County, Ohio—Photographed in 1890.

Brough on a platform sympathetic with the states in rebellion, and that his candidacy was supported by such newspapers as the Ohio Patriot, the leading newspaper of Columbiana County.

Defense of the Union was the burning issue, and Father Hart as a mere boy, less than eighteen years of age, responded to the call of service to his country as did six of his brothers by voluntary enlistments in the Union Armies. Father Hart enlisted on Aug. 15, 1861, and was assigned to Company F, 32nd Ohio Volunteer Infantry, the members of this company being recruited from southern Columbiana, Carroll and Stark counties. They formed at Augusta, Ohio, marched to Canton, and from there they proceeded to Mansfield and thence to Cincinnati by train where they reached Camp Denison on Sept. 3, 1861, for drill and instruction. On Sept. 15, 1861, they boarded trains bound for the front in Virginia. They detrained at Webster, Va., and marched to Cheat Mountain where they first went into action, just one month from the day Father Hart left home. He was on a Virginia battlefield on his eighteenth birthday.

The first part of his army service was in the Allegheny Mountains and in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia. In August 1862 the members of Company F, 32nd Ohio Infantry were transferred to a battery afterwards known as the 26th Ohio Battery. On Sept. 15, 1862, after a hard battle, the Union Commander, General Miles, to the disgust of most of his command, including the Ohio boys, surrendered Harpers Ferry and the 26th Ohio Battery lost its guns. Fortunately, because the Confederates were hard pressed, the Union soldiers were not sent to Andersonville or some other southern prison, but were immediately paroled and sent to Camp Douglass at Chicago, where they remained until exchanged. However, before the exchange was made they were given a furlough permitting them to go home for a few days after which they were called into Camp at Cleveland. On January 20, 1863, the command was dispatched from Cleveland to Mississippi to participate in the Vicksburgh Campaign. Having lost its cannon at Harpers Ferry, the 26th Ohio Battery was again transferred to Company F of the 32nd Ohio Regiment. At the battle of Champion Hills in the rear of Vicksburgh, the regiment captured a confederate battery and Company F was again detailed to this battery and was again designated the 26th Ohio Battery until the end of the war.

After the surrender of Vicksburgh, Father Hart took seriously ill and was sent to a hospital at St. Louis from which point he was discharged on Aug. 27, 1864. The Battery to which he was attached continued guard duty for some months after the war, and was mustered out in Texas in September 1865. The 32nd Ohio Regiment of which the 26th Ohio Battery was a part, participated in twenty-four battles of the war. It had 950 enlisted men when it entered the service, recruited 1600 new men, and lost, in killed, wounded and missing, 1,889. There was mustered out at the close of the war a remnant of 565 men. But one man of this regiment now survives in 1942. He is Joseph Reed of Columbus, Ohio.

Father Hart formed among his comrades some very close life-long relationships and attachments. Among those with whom he held the most intimate relationship were Captain T. D. Yost of Cleveland; B. Frank Hogue, Ross Rue and Lyman Hart Milner, his cousin of Alliance; David Chaddock of Minerva; James Yant and Henry Buckius of Canton; and

William Pumphrey and William Tobin of Salineville. For more than fifty years after the war, the members of the 26th Ohio Battery and their families held annual soldiers' reunions generally alternating the place of meeting between Alliance, Minerva and Salineville. During the war Father Hart faithfully kept a diary and wrote many letters to his mother, to the young lady, Ariel S. Dreghorn, who afterwards became his wife, and to his brothers and sisters. These diaries and letters have been collected by the writer and excerpts have been taken therefrom, generally in the verbatim language, and arranged in chronological order so as to give an orderly and complete description of Father Hart's service and experiences during the Civil War. This record has been included as a part of this history and is found in **Appendix**.

As schoolmates in the common school district, Benjamin Franklin Hart became acquainted with Ariel S. Dreghorn. She was the daughter of John Dreghorn, who was born in Scotland, and who emigrated to America with his parents when three years of age. He became a farmer, owning and operating a farm adjoining one of the John Swift Hart farms located in Washington Township, about a mile south of Highlandtown. Father Hart and Ariel Dreghorn not only became acquaintances but permanent sweethearts before he entered the army. In 1859 John Dreghorn and his family, including his daughter, Ariel, moved to Elmore, Ottawa County, Ohio. This move, to some extent, separated these lovers, but it was the means of inaugurating between them a correspondence of the deepest devotion which continued through the years of Father Hart's army service and until their marriage after the war. For a year and a half after his return from the army, Father Hart worked at home making repairs about the farm and home which had been much neglected after the death of grandfather, John Swift Hart, in November 1863, while the sons were absent in the army. By the fall and winter of 1865 the family was reunited by the return of all the seven sons from the army. In the meantime, the father had passed on leaving Prudence Hart, the mother, a widow. But she had the satisfaction that the Union which she loved so dearly had been saved by the service of her sons and those of thousands of other American mothers. That was her reward and to her it was sufficient.

On the evening of March 1, 1866, Benjamin Franklin Hart and Ariel S. Dreghorn were married at the bride's home, a commodious brick residence located on the north side of the Portage River just out of the village of Elmore on the highway leading to Toledo. The next day, the bride and groom traveled by train through Cleveland to Salineville, and then out to the old Hart homestead where grandmother, Prudence Hart, and the brothers and sisters gave them their blessing. The bride in leaving her father, her mother having died when she was a little girl, was somewhat compensated by the fact that she came back to the community of her childhood and to many friends whom she had known in the days before the war. On the other hand, her good father did not forget her, but made many visits to her home and to the homes of his old friends in the neighborhood during the remaining years of his life.

In a few days after their wedding, Father Hart and his wife, Ariel Hart, took up their residence in a log cabin on the John Swift Hart farm on Hazel Run, which farm adjoined the one on which Ariel Dreghorn

Hart was born. In this log cabin were born all of their ten children whose names appear in subdivision 15 of Chapter XIV of this history. After the death of Mother Prudence Hart, this farm was sold in connection with the administration of her estate and Benjamin Franklin Hart became its owner in 1878. He continued to own and operate it until his death in 1904. In the year 1890, however, he razed the old log cabin and built a modern residence on the same site. A fine new barn was erected on the farm in 1882.

Father Hart was a very methodical painstaking and progressive farmer and thoroughly enjoyed his profession. He took great interest in the public schools, was many years a school director and made great effort and sacrifice to secure for his children adequate educational advantages.

One of his greatest interests was that of his church, having been a lifetime member of the Methodist Church at Highlandtown. He served as a member of its official board for over forty years and was one of a group of members instrumental in the building of the beautiful brick church edifice now located at Highlandtown. He took a great interest in the civic and political affairs of the community, county, state and nation. He was an ardent supporter of the principles and candidates of the Republican party and served many years as a township trustee of Washington Township in Columbiana County.

Father Hart always enjoyed his association with the family relationship. The opportunity for this pleasure was afforded him by the fact that most of his brothers and sisters and their families had their residences in the same general locality. He and his brother, Anson, and later his brother, Alexander, resided most of their adult lives on adjoining farms which afforded an interrelationship marked by the greatest consideration and devotion for each other. Father Hart had great devotion for his wife and children. He and his wife were constant companions and never ceased to be sweethearts. He was a most interesting letter writer and he never failed to write frequently to those of his children who happened to be away at school or at distant places of residence.

His death came suddenly and without warning. On November 8, 1904, the day upon which Theodore Roosevelt was elected President of the United States, Father Hart, as was his custom, went to Salineville and cast his vote. While there he visited the store of his nephews, Pressley Hart and Samuel Hart, where he suddenly suffered a heart attack and expired. All of his children were called home and attended his funeral, except his son, John Dreghorn Hart, who was then located in Cuba. His funeral was held in the Methodist Church at Highlandtown, the church he, himself, had helped to build. His funeral service was conducted by Rev. J. H. Conkle, his former pastor. Rev. Conkle was also the pastor of his mother at the time of her death and conducted her funeral service at Wellsville, Ohio, twenty-seven years before. In compliance with his request, his casket was draped with a beautiful American flag and his funeral was attended by a number of his army comrades. He was buried in the Highlandtown cemetery within a few feet of the graves of his father and mother.

When the writer received the news of his father's sudden death, there flashed through his mind the lines of Walt Whitman's poem, "O', Captain! My Captain!" as being most appropriate to and expressive of the occasion.

APPENDIX

War Diary of Benjamin Franklin Hart
(See Chapter XVIII.)

The following personal reminiscences and observations have been collected verbatim from diaries kept and letters written by Benjamin F. Hart while in the service of the Union Army during the period of the Civil War:

1861

- August 26—Left home, bidding father and mother and friends good-bye. Went to Salineville.
- August 27—Left Salineville. Arrived at Augusta, Carroll County at noon. Boarding at Charles Jackson's.
- August 28—Still at Augusta. Drilling under Capt. Brant. More soldiers arriving.
- August 29—Left Augusta. Arrived at Minerva at ten o'clock P. M. A large crowd there to greet us. Passed through Robertsville and Osna-burg.
- August 30—Arrived at Canton at four A. M. Got supper at the Exchange Hotel and left Canton at six P. M. Passed through Massillon, Orrville, Wooster, Loudonville and Perrysville.
- August 31—Arrived at Mansfield. Went to camp and was sworn in.
- September 1—Marched up in the grove and heard a splendid sermon at four o'clock. At six o'clock we marched out to Mansfield and heard a sermon in the Congregational Church. Splendid music.
- September 2—Drilled and prepared for moving.
- September 3—At one o'clock we made ready for moving and at five o'clock started for Mansfield. Boarded a train and left at eight o'clock. Passed through Crestline, Gilead, Cardington, Columbus, London, Xenia. Arrived at Camp Dennison about eight o'clock A. M.
- September 7—I am on police duty. This afternoon we all went down to the river and washed our shirts.
- September 8—We went out into a grove at ten o'clock and heard a sermon. There is a great stir in Camp over a report that the Secesh are within forty miles of Cincinnati.
- September 11—The 49th Reg. of volunteers arrived here today from Springfield.
- September 12—I am on guard today. The tenor drummer was put in the guard house for stealing a bed-tick. He has to carry 50 pounds of stone four hours a day.
- September 14—We received our Springfield muskets this afternoon.
- September 15—We started for Virginia. We boarded the cars about noon and traveled all day and night.
- September 16—Passed through Columbus. Passed through many cuts and tunnels. We arrived at Bellaire at ten o'clock A. M. and crossed the

Ohio river. We got our belts, cartridge boxes and cap boxes and got them filled with powder, lead and caps. Left about four o'clock. Virginia is a rough looking place. They have very poor cars for the soldiers and poor locomotives.

September 17—Passed through Grafton and arrived at Webster where we left the cars and got our breakfast. From here we marched about 15 miles and arrived at Philipi about dusk. We occupied houses vacated by the Sesesh. There had been a hard fight here, but only one Union soldier was killed. The battle lasted about half a day and the rebels had to leave the place. The whole town is deserted and a regiment of Union soldiers is quartered in the Court House. This is my eighteenth birthday.

September 18—We went about 18 miles and camped where there had been a skirmish this side of Laurel Hill. We came onto Laurel Hill and here we found plenty of breastworks. All along up the hill there was a pretty hard fight. Eight thousand rebels had been put to flight. We overtook a rebel and captured him, and took him on to Beverly. Arrived at Beverly about five o'clock and encamped for the night.

September 19—There are a good many troops here (Beverly) and more coming. There was great excitement here tonight as we expected an attack but it did not materialize.

September 20—This morning we got marching orders. We did not know where we were going.

September 21—It rained very hard and we gave up going until tomorrow.

September 22—Still raining. George Washington McLaughlin and Washington Saltsman of Salineville are discharged and they are going home tomorrow. We went out to the shade and heard an excellent sermon by one of our soldier preachers. Text was I Chron. 28.

September 23—A sad accident occurred in camp last night. One of the pickets accidentally shot and killed a comrade by the name of Thomas Smith.

September 24—We were again ordered onto Cheat Mountain. Started about ten o'clock and went on about 11 miles to Hutensville where we camped for the night. I saw the first slaves here. We heard heavy cannonading this morning. We heard that the rebels had retreated back to Staunton, a distance of one hundred miles from Beverly. We also heard that there was a battle at Washington and that there were 2,500 killed and taken prisoners.

September 25—I was on guard last night. We start for Cheat Mountain. Left Hutensville about nine o'clock and climbed up the Mountain, reaching the top about five o'clock. It is the roughest place I ever saw. We had to clear and level a spot to put our tents on. There are four regiments here. There was a battle here about two weeks ago. The rebels thought they could take the Mountain but about 60 men ran out about 4,000 of them. They have a very strong fort built of logs, stone and dirt in which are mounted several cannon. There were ten or twelve Sesesh killed.

September 26—We were called out on picket and it rained all day and

night, turning very cold. It chilled ten work horses and three men to death.

September 29—A man died last night in the hospital and he was buried this afternoon with the honors of war. We heard a sermon at the Fort from the 15 Chap. of St. Luke, 10th verse.

October 1—I am cook today. This evening we received marching orders to go into the fight tonight. We left Cheat Mountain about eleven o'clock and marched to within about four miles of the rebels and were placed on picket.

October 3—About eight o'clock the cannonading commenced and was very heavy for about fifteen minutes and then stopped for a little while. It again commenced very heavy and continued ten hours until ammunition ran out. About 12 killed and some wounded. Thirteen rebels were taken prisoners and some cattle and horses were secured.

October 4—Seven Union soldiers were buried. Six were killed in the battle and one died in the hospital.

October 5—We are out on picket down by the bridge on the river.

October 16—We have been working at putting up houses for winter quarters. Fifteen of our scouts were out today and were fired on by the enemy, but no one was hurt. Yesterday four of our company went out to the rebel camp, ran their pickets and took one prisoner.

October 18—We are building our houses 20x44 feet. This evening some of our scouts were sent out to Green Brier.

October 24—Our men brought in three horses, thirty head of cattle and one prisoner.

November 6—Thomas Marshall arrived here from Ohio today to visit the boys.

November 11—Mr. James Van Fossan died today, the first death in our company.

November 30—There is talk of our leaving here soon.

December 1—Received of Uncle Sam, \$33.35.

December 7—Five rebels came in to Cheat Mountain and gave themselves up. They were taken to Columbus.

December 9—Our pickets were driven in from the bridge by rebels.

December 10—The 25th Ohio Reg. was marched up onto Cheat Mountain and we expect to attack the Sesesh soon.

December 11—Part of our company made up a scouting party under Capt. Hamilton of Co. G 32nd Reg. and marched up into Cheat Mountain where we drew the first fire of the rebels.

1862

(Note: The personal diary of Father B. F. Hart for the year 1862 kept daily until near the close of that year, was lost during the movements of the regiment. The items here recorded for the year are copied verbatim from letters written home during that period.)

January 27—Camp Allegheny near Beverly, Va., (after the battle). Our scouts have been out in Tucker County and have captured several rebels.

One hundred more of our regiment go out in the morning. Our wounded boys are all getting along pretty well except Abe Lipsey who was wounded in the thigh with a ball. We fear he cannot recover.

February 6—Comrade Lipsey refused to allow his leg to be amputated and mortification set in. The surgeon told him he could live only a few days unless it was amputated. His brother came down from the North to see him. He longed to get home before he should die. Eight of us, including James G. Hogue, Lyman Milner, Hillary Twiss, Theodore Criss, Robert Morrow and myself volunteered to carry him to Grafton, Va., a distance of forty miles, where he might be put on a train and sent home. We made a stretcher and four of us at a time carried the four corners on our shoulders over the rough roads and hills of Virginia until we finally, almost exhausted by this laborious work, reached Grafton. We started Comrade Lipsey home and returned to camp, having been gone on this trip six days. Lipsey lived only about 48 hours after reaching home, we afterward learned, and died February 14.

March 6—We left quarters on Thursday evening about four o'clock on a scout. Followed the pike about 4 miles and took to the left about 2 miles, then took up quarters for the night. There were nineteen including myself out of our company and about 200 out of the regiment. The Second Virginia is now on the mountain and there were about 150 went out of that regiment. We had to cross six mountains and that many rivers. We went down Seneca river from its head to the mouth. Here we divided our force and went up over a mountain so as to come up on both sides of the rebels. When we got to the top and about to go down, the Second Virginia made the attack which was ten minutes too soon. We double quicked down the mountain side as fast as possible, but were too late. There was but one company of the rebels there and a good many had horses, so they mounted and rode over the river as quickly as possible and made their escape. The Virginia boys were up before us, and they shot two of them and took two prisoners. They, the rebels, were quartered in an old meeting house. They left all their blankets, etc. We then marched down the north fork of the Potomac a mile and took up quarters for the night, it being Saturday night. Early Sunday morning a lot of our boys who were quartered above us started up the river and went about 5 miles when they were fired on. Our boys fought well, killing some two or three and took their Captain, both Lieutenants and a great many others prisoners. On Monday we started for camp with our "Sesesh" and made our tracks home as fast as possible as we could not get subsistence to do us and could not carry much as the road was so rough. This company of rebels was stationed there to guard a lot of horse thieves who were engaged in stealing horses and cattle for the rebel army. It is forty miles from here to the north fork of the Potomac in Pendleton County.

May 8—Our regiment participated in the battle of McDowell today. Thomas James Hendrix of Augusta, a member of Co. A, was shot in the head and instantly killed. (Thomas J. Hendrix was an uncle of Ida Caskey Hart).

May 21—Franklin, Va. (Following the battle of McDowell). The wounded are all getting better. Thos. McMillan is the worst one in our company. He was struck on top of the head and it affected his brain. He is now in our hospital and has lost the use of one side of himself. The wounded who are not able for duty are sent on furlough.

July 2—Headquarters First Army Corps of Virginia—Camp near Middleton, Shenandoah County, Va. I am sorry to report the loss of one more of our company by death. Thomas Donaldson died yesterday about ten o'clock. His death was very sudden indeed. On the 29th of June he was on picket as well as usual, but on that evening he complained of being sick. Early the next morning (June 30th) he came to camp, a distance of one and a half miles, and did not appear to be seriously ill. Yesterday morning I saw him walk out with the help of one of his mess-mates. About nine o'clock he took a fit and died in one hour. The day he was on picket he went to a citizen's house and bought some bread and ate some of it and soon after took sick, so that some think he was poisoned. He has a brother here in the 6th Ohio Cavalry, but he was out in a reconnoissance and we cannot reach him. Thomas is to be buried today. He was the son of David Donaldson, residing near Mechanicstown, Ohio. We had general inspection last evening. A Major of the regular Army from Washington City was the inspector. We have plenty of new clothing but have to take white shirts instead of colored ones as formerly. They are part cotton. We get sky blue pants, of good quality of wool, and deep blue blouses. Crops are generally poor and there is not much of any kind of stock here now as Jackson on his raid has taken horses, cattle and most everything else but women, old men, children, and Negroes. There are plenty of girls, but generally of an inferior quality. They are generally rank Sesesh and don't care for anybody. They curse and swear at us and wish Jackson would kill everyone of us. There are some few exceptions. Some few are Union and are all right of course. I will give you the names of officers of our company: Capt. B. F. Potts; First Lieut. T. D. Yost; 2nd Lieut. Levi J. Cox; First Sarg. John C. Hampson, 2nd Albert Thompson; 3rd H. T. Lee; 4th T. W. Criss; 5th G. H. Ebersole; Corporals, 1st Thomas Ballantine, 2nd L. H. Milner, 3rd W. N. Casey, 4th Thos. McMillan, 5th H. J. Twiss, 6th F. E. McLain, 7th Riley Newhouse, 8th B. F. Hart.

August 1—Winchester, Va. One year ago the 27th of this month, I left home to go in defense of my country. Who would have thought that this war would last until this time. No one, I think, would have guessed it.

August 24—Fort Seigel, near Winchester, Va. Our company is now a battery called "Pott's Battery." There is not much going on here now, only our train was taken by the rebels last night and I did not get my mail. The train was due here at five o'clock last evening. A lot of Ashby's Cavalry went around here some way and blockaded the road about twelve miles from here. The train came up when they took it and burned all the cars and took three soldiers prisoners but let the citizens go. Somehow or other the locomotive got away and came on to town. They say the train carried a lot of provisions and report

says that \$17,000.00 coming to the Quartermaster was also taken. A train load of soldiers went out last night, but of course the cavalry was gone. I think they will put some guards out along the road pretty soon. I have a letter from my cousin, John S. Hart of Illinois. When he wrote he was at Helena, Ark. He joined the Fifth Reg. of Illinois Cavalry in October and went into Missouri and scouted all through it and Arkansas. His regiment was alone but was not in any hard fights. At Helena, Ark., they joined Curtis' forces. He says that Missouri and Arkansas are badly used up by the armies. I have received a letter from Andy Fogo and he says that brothers Hector, George Clark and James Burnside have enlisted. We draw for rations from time to time, bread, crackers, coffee, sugar, rice, beans, desiccated potatoes, desiccated vegetables (compound of several different articles of vegetation), molasses, beef, pork, bacon. We are living fat at present.

September 17—Frederick City, Md. The surrender of Harpers Ferry took place on Monday morning the 15th at about eight o'clock. We had three or four days hard fighting but we did not lose many men. We were completely surrounded on all sides. On Saturday we were in a hot engagement on Maryland Heights. We could not hold the rebels back and were obliged to spike the siege guns and leave them. The rebels then erected a battery there and fought us hard on Bolivar Heights. On Sabbath afternoon, they erected, another battery on Loudon Heights and gave us hail, canister shot, shell, etc. I was with Sargeant Lee's detachment and I fired about fifty shells at the rebels on Sabbath, the 14th, from Loudon Heights out of one gun and then I took another piece and gave them some more on Maryland Heights. Early on Monday, they commenced firing from several batteries just as soon as they could see. A heavy cross fire came into two pieces of our guns which we fired till we ran out, of ammunition. The white flag was run up and a surrender took place. During the night the cavalry escaped. Our surrender consisted of 8,000 or 9,000. Col. Miles of the regulars was in command, but was shot and died when Gen. White took command. We have been paroled and have come to Frederick but can't tell where we are going.

October 5—Camp Douglass, Chicago, Illinois. We were glad to get off with life alone in this battle at Harpers Ferry. We received but one mail after we retreated to the "Ferry" and then our communications were cut off both ways. Sabbath I was quite tired making ready shells for our guns. We threw 50 or 60 shells an hour, and it being a warm day it was very hard work. Two of the rebel guns were playing upon us all the time from the Loudon Heights (we being on Bolivar Heights). Every time we saw their guns discharge, we fell flat on the ground and probably the ball or shell would go over us, or to one side, or alight in front of us. One ball struck very close to my side and threw dirt all over me. At first I thought my eyes were put out but I am thankful to God that I was spared all through that conflict. Monday morning we surrendered, being almost out of ammunition and outnumbered by great odds. The rebels were using four batteries on Monday morning, but we stood our ground until we used all of our

shell. No one was killed or wounded out of our battery which was no less than a miracle. One of our boys had his cap shot off his head and we had one horse killed. The infantry suffered the most. We were paroled and on Tuesday we left for Annapolis. We came from there here. We may be exchanged soon and go into service again.

October 16—Camp Douglass, Chicago, Illinois. Some eighteen of the boys started for home on last Friday without leave or furlough, but I cannot go that way, although I know I would like to see home as well as the next boy. It has been almost six months since we had pay. Our armies have made great changes in the last month. Much hard fighting has been done and much more is yet to do. This cruel rebellion is deeply rooted and must be conquered by degrees.

December 18—Camp Cleveland. We are doing fine here now. Not much to do except some little grading about camp, which lies between Cleveland and West Cleveland (formerly Ohio City). There are a great many troops quartered here. We notice that Gen. Burnside has had a hard battle at Fredericksburgh and was repulsed with heavy loss. It went hard for us on coming here to go from a bed to a board, and besides we do not have many blankets. We have each drawn a blanket and I drew an overcoat.

1863

January 1—At Cleveland, Ohio. There is about six inches of snow on the ground. The boys gave Capt. Yost a fine belt and sword as a New Year's gift. It cost \$182.50. Capt. Yost is loved and respected by every member of Company F and is as good a man as there is in the service, in my opinion.

January 4—Sunday. I was on guard today at the quarters of the 124th Ohio Reg. which has moved to Kentucky a few days since.

January 7—Richard McPherson visited us at camp today. The stockholders of the C & P Railroad held their annual election in Cleveland today.

January 8—A. S. McIntosh of Wellsville, visited us today.

January 19—Still at Camp Cleveland, although there are rumors that we will move in a day or two. We have rations cooked to last five days. Isaac and James Gallaher are going home this evening. We have hopes of getting another battery.

January 20—Left Camp Cleveland this morning at nine o'clock on the Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati Railroad. Arrived at Columbus at seven P. M., having gone a distance of 130 miles. Left for Cincinnati at seven-thirty P. M. and arrived at Cincinnati at five A. M., Jan. 21.

January 21—Boarded a boat at seven A. M. for Memphis. Our boat is the "Imperial." Left Cincinnati at four o'clock P. M.

January 22—We are moving down the Ohio. Arrived at Louisville at noon and left at one-thirty P. M.

January 23—Still going. We passed Fort Paduca at the mouth of the Cumberland River, at three-thirty this afternoon. Arrived at Cairo at six P. M.

January 24—We passed "Island No. 10" today; also several boats from Memphis going up the river loaded with soldiers. We drew our guns, Springfield rifles today. We arrived at Memphis at nine P. M.

January 25—A man from Company C, Criss Stout, fell overboard this morning about five o'clock and was drowned. We left the boat at two o'clock this afternoon and went into camp about one mile from the city of Memphis. Had a heavy rain this evening.

January 30—We are drilling. Our regiment in practicing with blank cartridges caused a rumor of an attack in the city today.

February 1—Camp Tod, Memphis, Tenn. We arrived here Saturday, January 24, and are encamped in the outskirts of the city. We have had a long journey from Camp Cleveland down here. We came from Cincinnati on the boat "Imperial," which is a new boat and was on its first trip to this place. We left the boat about noon and marched through the city and pitched tents that evening, but before we got them up from the boat, a rain came on and gave us a drenching. There is a large fort near here and many troops located there. The main body, however, is camped about 15 miles from here on the Memphis & Charleston Railroad. Our brigade the Third is commanded by Col. Stephenson of the 7th Mo., Third Division commanded by Brig. Gen. John A. Logan of the 17th Army Corps of the Army of the Mississippi, commanded by Major Gen. Grant. He is below here now with a large force probably near Vicksburgh. We expect to go down there soon, as our Division is the next to move.

February 2—Had regimental inspection this morning.

February 4—Inspection by a Major of Logan's Staff this morning. Drill of the non-commissioned officers of our regiment at 2 P. M.

February 7—Company F was divided into six messes today.

February 8—Lyman H. Milner and I are cooking for our mess today. Preaching at two P. M. by our Chaplain Russel B. Bennett.

February 10—Am detailed for guard at the commissary this evening.

February 11—Sent out our first pickets this afternoon. Ross Rue came to camp from Ohio today.

(Letter) — I am writing by candle light and the boys are all slumbering. I am on duty relieving guards every two hours at the commissary. It is now past one o'clock after midnight. The other Corporal served until twelve and awakened me and I will stay up until morning and relieve the guard every two hours with a fresh man. There are seven of us in our tent. They are Sergeants A. T. Lee, T. W. Criss, L. H. Milner, I. Swearngen, Corporals W. N. Casey, T. E. McLean and myself. We bought ourselves a frying pan and coffee pot and cook for ourselves and we are getting along very well. We are about four miles from Memphis, camped right in the woods and have plenty of fire wood, but of an inferior quality as we have been getting dry rails. We expect to move soon to Vicksburgh which is about 400 miles from here. I suppose there will be a hard battle there and we will likely see and feel a part of it. Many no doubt will fall there. God, screen our heads in such times.

- February 12—More of the 32nd Reg. are arriving. Dress parade this evening.
- February 15—I saw two deserters tied to a log today, to be continued five days, four hours a day. By order of Gen. Logan there was preaching at two o'clock P. M.
- February 16—Brig. Gen. John A. Logan delivered a very patriotic address to the soldiers.
- February 18—Received orders to turn over our guns and report to Gen. John A. Logan for a battery. The 32nd Ohio has marching orders this evening. It had dress parade without Co. F.
- February 19—Marching orders of 32nd O. Reg. countermanded. Col. Potts don't want Co. F to leave the regiment.
- February 20—We are ordered back into the regiment. At one o'clock we went aboard the steamboat "Gladiator" bound for Vicksburgh.
- February 21—Still at Memphis landing.
- February 22—Left Memphis landing this Sunday morning at eight-thirty o'clock and steamed steadily down the river all day. Passed Helena, Ark. at three-thirty P. M.
- February 23—Arrived at Lake Providence, La., at ten o'clock this morning. A large number of troops encamped here. Left the boat at twelve o'clock and marched to Camp about 3 miles from the river.
- February 24—Put up our tents.
- February 26—An order was issued today requiring every soldier to raise his right hand to his cap when approaching a commissioned officer.
- February 27—A man in Co. A by name of Early died and was buried today.
- February 28—General muster for pay today at ten o'clock by Col. Potts. Corp'l Burget is detailed as color guard.
- March 2—A steam tug went up the lake today with Major Gen. McPherson and a band upon it. Was vaccinated yesterday.
- March 8—I was detailed for guard duty at Gen. Logan's headquarters at three o'clock.
- March 10—There is a rumor in Camp today that there is fighting on the Yazoo.
- March 14—Some resolutions in favor of the Union and the maintenance of the law were unanimously adopted by the Regiment. The Regiment gave three cheers for Gov. Tod.
- March 16—Our old band played for the first time today. A scout went out this evening.
- March 17—Heavy cannonading was plainly heard last night; location not known. The Mississippi was let into the lake today and it is rising rapidly.
- March 18—Orders came to move about 10 o'clock and we moved to the river.
- March 21—Orders to move and we went aboard the boat "Louisiana." Left about one o'clock and went 4 miles up the river to camp.
- March 23—Heavy cannonading heard today.
- March 25—A great many troops coming down the river. The 11th Wiscon-

sin was on board of one of the boats. I am acquainted with some of the boys in Co. D.

March 26—Ordered to go on a reconnoitering party. Went aboard the boat "Platte Valley" at six o'clock and went up the river about 15 miles. The Regiment all marched off leaving Co. F to guard the boat. Scouts returned at four o'clock and returned to camp at six o'clock.

April 4—There was an inspection of our Brigade today by the Adjutant General of the U. S.

April 12—Wrote a letter to the "School Visitor."

April 16—Marching orders came last night about ten o'clock to go down the river on transports. Went aboard the "Minnehaha" at eleven o'clock bound for Young's Point. Arrived at Milliken's Bend at seven o'clock P. M.

April 17—This morning we came off the boat and went into Camp at Milliken's Bend. Very heavy firing at Vicksburgh between ten and two o'clock last night. Heavy firing also on the Yazoo River.

April 18—Two men of our Regiment are tied down eight hours per day for five days for stealing from the hospital.

April 20—Hired a colored cook this morning. Heavy firing in the direction of Vicksburgh.

April 21—Men are volunteering to run transports through the rebel blockade of Vicksburgh.

April 22—The transports are running the blockade tonight.

(Letter) Camp near Milliken's Bend, La. We have made another move. From Lake Providence we went up the river four miles to Berry's landing and remained there probably two weeks when orders came for us to go down. On Thursday the 16th we went aboard the boat "Minnehaha" and came down to the landing, but we did not get off the boat that night. About eleven o'clock the guns at Vicksburgh were distinctly heard belching forth in thunder tones shot and shell. Three transports and three gun boats were fitted up to run the blockade that night, and they all got through except one. The transport "Henry Clay" was struck and rendered helpless. The crew all left her but the pilot, and he said he would stick to her until she was sunk, but he was rescued. The other transports came off pretty well, one, however, receiving a shot through the hull. Of the gun boats the "Lafayette" was somewhat disabled, having received a shell in one of her port holes which killed one man and wounded six. These boats were under fire for seven miles. The gun boats engaged the rebel batteries and continued firing about three hours. The cannonading fairly rent the earth at this place. We could see the flash of the guns very plainly. The rebels have some very heavy artillery on Vicksburgh Bluffs. Another such expedition runs the gauntlet tonight, at least it was so reported. I understand there are about thirteen transports undertaking to go through tonight. It is now near ten o'clock and ere two hours more passes we may hear the noise of powder. The next morning after we left the boat at the Bend, we pitched our tents close to the river. Today we were greeted by the paymaster with welcome greenbacks. We received two months pay. We got five dollars in

postage currency. Change is very plenty here now. We are within 20 miles of Vicksburgh. A large force has gone overland to the rear of Vicksburgh, and they want these transports below to get these troops across the river. I think Vicksburgh will be ours before long, and many poor soldiers must bite the dust before their works.

April 23—The transports ran through last night. All got through but one.

April 24—Received orders this evening to march tomorrow morning at daylight.

April 25—Struck tents about 7 o'clock and left them at the river. Left about 8 o'clock and marched to Richmond, about eleven miles from Millikens Bend. It was a hard march.

April 26—Marched all day and went into camp about five o'clock this evening. Rained all night. Heavy cannonading during the night.

April 27—Waked up at five o'clock to get ready for another days march. Cannonading was heard from one to four o'clock this morning. Began the march about seven o'clock and marched all day through a heavy rain. Very muddy. Camped in a barn all night.

April 28—Resumed march at 7 o'clock and marched all day and stopped close to the river at dark. Crossed three pontoon bridges today.

April 29—Got up at one o'clock this morning and resumed our march. We came to the river and followed it. Stopped at daylight for breakfast and then marched all day, stopping within four miles of the river. We heard a gun boat fight at Grand Gulf today.

April 30—Resumed our march at 7 o'clock. Came down the river in front of the rebels and are about to cross over. We went aboard the boat "Silver Wave" about sundown. Left the landing about 7 o'clock, came about six miles and landed.

May 1—Moved on very fast, marched 10 miles and came to the engagement. Very heavy firing all day. Our Brigade was ordered to the right front. Some skirmishing done. Ceased firing about dark. Our Brigade ordered to the front for picket.

May 2—Ordered to move again toward Port Gibson. Some firing during the day. Halted on this side of the river on the hill. The rebels retreated and burned the bridge. Some cannonading on the river. Marched about 10 miles and stopped at a fork of the river.

May 3—Moved about six o'clock this morning. The Rebels made a stand this side of Middle Fork but soon retreated. Marched about ten miles. Captured six Rebels. We are camped within three miles of Big Black River.

May 4—We are resting in the woods today. Heavy firing of artillery this morning at Big Black.

May 7—Moved at ten o'clock about four miles toward Black River and camped again.

May 8—Several orders read to us today congratulating the army for gallant conduct.

May 9—Moved at 1:30 P. M. and marched until after dark, a distance of about eight miles. We have orders to cut off the railroad between Jackson and Vicksburgh.

- May 10—Marched through Utica and for ten miles today. The advance had a skirmish this side of Utica.
- May 11—Moved about three miles and camped at a cross roads.
- May 12—Arose at 3:30 A. M. to move and began march toward Raymond. Near Raymond the Rebels made a stand and a hard fight ensued. Heavy loss on both sides. Marched through the town and camped. There is about one brigade of rebels at this point.
- May 13—Moved about eleven o'clock and halted near Clinton on the railroad. We are close in the rear of the Rebels. Heavy firing on our left today.
- May 14—Up at 4 o'clock this morning and formed in line. Great battle fought today at Jackson and we were victorious. The Rebels retreated across the Pearl River. Captured four siege guns and eight pieces of small artillery. Heavy rain all day.
- May 15—Marched toward Vicksburgh about ten miles. The whole force is advancing on Vicksburgh.
- May 16—An order from Major General McPherson read this morning in praise of the 17th Army Corps. Marched about 11 o'clock. Came upon the Rebels and engaged in a hard battle. Took one battery of artillery and our company is to man the guns (Battle of Champion Hills).
- May 17—We rigged out our battery to move. A great many men have been wounded. Moved about eleven o'clock toward Vicksburgh. Heavy firing in front. The Rebels retreated across the bridge over Black River and burned it. We took seventeen pieces of artillery and 2000 prisoners from them.
- May 18—We built a pontoon bridge over the Big Black River. We are ordered into the First Brigade this morning, Logans Division. Moved about noon across the pontoon and marched about ten miles.
- May 19—We marched about nine o'clock and came within a mile of the intrenchments. A heavy artillery fight all day. Our men gained some ground.
- May 20—Fighting commenced early this morning. Heavy firing from the gun boats on the Mississippi River all night. Continued firing all day.
- May 21—Heavy cannonading all night and all day today. Not much gain on either side. We moved back a piece today and camped. Another battery took one of our carriages.
- May 22—Cannonading all night. Our men made great charges today, losing a great many men. We are ordered to get ready to go to the front.
- May 23—We moved to the front early this morning and planted our battery and fired a few shells. Two guns do pretty well. We remained here all night. The mortars are shelling the Rebels all night.
- May 24—Cannonading all day. We did not fire much today.
- May 25—A flag of truce came over from the Rebel line today for what purpose we do not know. Firing all ceased. Later the flag of truce returned.
- May 26—We were aroused early this morning, expecting the Rebels to attempt to break out. The 32nd Regiment has been on the skirmish

line today. One comrade from Company G killed this evening. Heavy firing this evening on all the fronts. Gun boats also firing tremendously all evening.

May 27—A battle reported to have been fought at Champion Hills today and a battery captured. Heavy firing today although our guns were silent.

May 28—Have fired none today, but have worked on our breast works.

May 29—Commenced firing this morning at five o'clock. We fired 20 rounds this evening and the Rebel batteries opened fire.

May 31—Commenced firing about 4 o'clock this Sunday morning and fired 20 rounds. We have fortified some and moved our piece to the right. (Letter) Camp in line of Battle in the rear of Vicksburgh, Sabbath morning, May 31, 1863. The siege of Vicksburgh commenced on the 18th of May and yet continues. We have had some hard marches and many battles in this State. After crossing the Mississippi river the first battle was at Thompson's Hills, Claybourne County, Miss., May 1. This was a hard battle and many prisoners were taken. The rebels were repulsed and they made a hasty retreat. The next battle was near the town of Raymond, the County seat of Hinds County, May 12th. The rebels retreated again. On we went and found them again at Jackson, Capitol of Mississippi. They did not stand for fight long here. They had some fortifications there but did not use them long as our army surprised them by coming up in the rear. They retreated across the Pearl River and burned the bridge, so we followed them no further but about faced and marched directly towards Vicksburgh. Pemberton, the Rebel Commander, hearing of Grant's moving on him, moved all his field artillery and men across Black River, advanced seven miles from the River, took up a position on Baker Creek, gave us battle and expected to whip us and save Vicksburgh. Instead we defeated them wherever we found them and out of 63 pieces of artillery which Pemberton brought out here, we captured over fifty besides many thousand prisoners. They fled in confusion to Black River, made a stand there and had some earth works put up. Our men charged on them and took six thousand prisoners and seventeen pieces of artillery at one haul. From here the rebels retreated to their present position within the fortifications of Vicksburgh. At the battle of Champion Hills on Baker's Creek our Regiment, the 32nd Ohio, and the 8th Illinois Regiment charged on a battery up a hill about a quarter of a mile. They poured canister and musketry into both regiments but fortunately for us it mostly passed over our heads. We drove them from their guns and drove their support too before us like a drove of sheep. We killed many of them. The Captain of the Battery, an old gray haired man, stood when all his command had fled and actually put in and fired a load of grape shot at us, and was shot dead on the spot. One of his lieutenants was wounded and afterwards died. Many of his men stood in line until they were killed. This was the 1st Mississippi Battery. General Logan then told our Captain Yost and his boys to bring that battery along. So at work we went, gathering up horses and mules to get the pieces off, as most all their horses had been killed and wounded. We brought the battery along and have

been using it very freely on them in their works. Sherman's Corps is on the right and on the 18th he stormed and took Chickasaw Bluffs and several siege guns. His right now rests about the mouth of the Yazoo River. McPherson's Corps, holds the center and McClelland's the left, his left resting on the Mississippi above Warrenton. So the rebels are completely surrounded and must give up or starve. Our men charged the entire line once, but could not get over their high works. They poured a heavy musketry into us and we were compelled to fall back. They can not be charged in their position but they will be sieged. Our gun and mortar boats are doing great service in front of the town. Houses are burning almost every day from our shells thrown into the town. The whole town ought to be burned if they don't surrender. It must be a hard place for the poor women and children shut up there. They came out under a flag of truce once but for what purpose we do not know. We continue to give them a warm time day and night. Yesterday we fired over 50 rounds from our guns and the whole line of artillery opened at once. I think we are under a good general (Grant) now. Many people thought him too slow, but he waits for an opportunity and then improves it. He has made a good move toward taking Vicksburgh and it will surely fall. This is supposed to be one of the best positions and best fortifications that our armies have yet moved upon. But I am of the opinion that the western army does better fighting than the eastern men. The grand army of the Patomac has done but little good for the country, in my opinion. They have again moved but a sorrowful move it was. I understand they have been driven back across the Rappahannock. That is the report here. When will the grand army of the Patomac be victorious? May it be soon. Should they move like Grant for a short time and drive the enemy wherever they meet it, we surely wouldn't be long in crushing this whole rebellion. Well, in all of our skirmishes and battles most of us have come off safe for which we should be very thankful. In the battle of Baker's Creek four of our company was wounded. Our First Lieut. L. J. Cox was mortally wounded and we have heard that he died, but it may not be true. Three other of the boys were wounded but I believe not seriously. The battle of Baker's Creek was the most awful sight I ever saw or ever wish to see. Whole regiments of the rebels lay on the field dead and wounded. Tremendous was the slaughter. Oh, that the day may soon come when we can agree and have peace again restored, and can stop shooting each other. Well, this don't appear much like Sabbath to us for cannonading is going on all the time. We have seen some hard times on this march but we are doing it for our country and must expect to have them.

June 1—We were ordered to move our piece to the extreme right of our Division. Fired considerably today. I am gun sighter on our gun. I have cut out a wooden device or gun sight by which I can get the proper elevation of the gun and our work is quite accurate. General Logan watched our firing quite a while today. It seemed to please him. We fired all night every half hour. W. P. Moore was badly wounded in the shoulder today.

- June 2—A large building burned in Vicksburgh during last night. Heavy firing on our left last night and today. We fired about one hour this evening and then worked at our breast works until eleven o'clock.
- June 4—We had to lay by our guns last night. Very heavy firing on the extreme left. We were waked at two o'clock this morning and loaded our guns.
- June 5—Fired some today. Laid by our guns tonight.
- June 6—We hived a swarm of bees today.
- June 7—Was on guard last night. Heavy firing from the gun boats this morning.
- June 8—This evening we have orders to dismount our points and mount the breech rifles and move further to the right.
- June 11—Eight 4 pounder guns planted and commenced firing today. One of our pieces was ordered to the place we were last located.
- June 12—The rebels have opened with some mortars but have not yet done much harm.
- June 13—The rebels are firing considerable today from two mortars they have got planted. Was on guard last night.
- June 15—The rebels opened upon us with a 10 pounder this morning. We returned the fire with about twenty rounds from our piece. Our gun did well and they soon ceased firing.
- June 16—The Rebels opened their guns upon us again this morning. We commenced firing in return about five o'clock. After we fired about twenty rounds they quit and we quit for breakfast. Was on guard all night. We fired considerable all day. Put a temporary sight on our gun. It does "bully."
- June 17—The Rebels are throwing a good many mortar shells over today. Some pieces came quite close to us.
- June 18—The Rebels planted a large red flag on their rifle pits. One of our guns knocked it all to pieces. The Rebels opened their guns again about noon. We replied and did fine shooting.
- (Letter) Rear of Vicksburgh, Warren Co., Miss., Thursday morning, June 18, 1863. We are yet engaged in the work we have been at for the past month and we do not appear to be getting much nearer Vicksburgh. Cannonading continues from day to day together with skirmishing and sharp-shooting. We are shooting our pieces more or less every day. The Rebels have one or two mortars planted and are throwing shells at us daily but they have as yet done but little damage. Some pieces have come very close to us though. They have planted a 24 pound gun on our right which has been firing some for several days. Our men are busily engaged in digging up to their rifle pits and will soon be very near them. Our men stick up their flags as they go up and the Rebels are now sticking their flags upon their rifle pits. This morning quite a large red flag was stuck up from their pits. It looked like their battle flag. A gun directly on our right opened up on it and before we got a shot they knocked it down

and the Rebels have concluded to leave it down. We think they are getting scarce of ammunition, except for their large mortars, and we think their meal pile is getting smaller too. Those "Whistling Jacks" mortar shells come whizzing over, go into the ground six feet or more, then burst and throw out a hole six feet square. A person can "juke" the ball when it goes down to the ground without bursting, but when they burst over our heads they fly in all directions and are full of little metal balls which make them much more destructive. Our infantry have pits dug in the banks to protect themselves from these whistlers. I saw David Fogo of Wisconsin down here yesterday with the Wisconsin troops.

June 19—Did considerable firing today. I am on guard tonight.

June 20—The whole line opened fire at four o'clock this morning and continued until ten o'clock. The Rebels put a shot through our block house and bursted one shell over our gun. No one was hurt.

June 22—Thomas Sharp went to the hospital today and Oscar F. Cameron died this afternoon.

June 23—I was on guard last night. The Rebels have been firing some today. Jim Hogue and I baked some pies today.

June 24—The Rebels attempted to cut out last night but were beaten back. They are firing their mortars today.

June 25—The Rebels have opened their guns in front of us. We were ordered to move to the right to the other piece. The fort was blown up at five o'clock this evening and hard fighting continued all night.

June 26—The firing continued all night. We opened fire again this morning training our gun on the road leading into Vicksburgh. We are watching for passing teams. We dismounted one cassion and killed one man and one mule. We did splendid shooting today. I was on guard last night. A good many of our men were killed and wounded today.

June 27—Firing at the road again today. Killed one man and wounded two. Dismounted one wagon, killed several mules and a hostler. Very hot today.

June 28—Our Regiment is making out payrolls today. Firing light.

June 29—An order came for Lieut. Lee and twenty men to go to the river for two heavy guns and ammunition. They left after noon today.

June 30—We are shooting with Sargeant Criss' piece this morning. We are scarce of men at present. Signed the payroll for two months pay.

July 1—We have moved our piece back to the old position again. Fired several rounds. The fort was again blown up at two o'clock today. Did not do much good. Four Rebels were blown up over to us and instantly killed. Two Negroes were also blown over. One was not hurt.

July 2—Had my pantaloons stolen last night with all my money, watch, gun scale and several other articles. We did some shooting today.

- July 3—The Rebels came out with a flag of truce today and wanted to surrender on conditions, but it was not agreed to this evening. We have strong hopes of the surrender of Vicksburgh soon. (Letter) Camp in rear of Vicksburgh, July 3, 1863. Vicksburgh is not yet ours but I think and hope it may be soon. The siege continues about the same. There is more or less cannonading every day. The Rebels have sent out a flag of truce on our left this morning but for what purpose is yet unknown. Day before yesterday Pemberton sent out a flag of truce on the right to get the women and children out of the City. When we surrounded the place Grant sent Pemberton word to send the women and children out but he refused and now Grant will not allow them to come out. They wish to get them out to save their rations. I suppose we will spend the Fourth bombarding Vicksburgh. Our last Fourth we were at Middleton, Va.
- July 4—This morning the Rebels surrendered unconditionally to General Grant. The Infantry moved into the City about twelve o'clock. We did not move in until almost night. There has been great saluting and cheering all day. It is a happy Fourth for us. We have taken about 30,000 prisoners and a great amount of artillery.
- July 5—We are gathering up things for our battery. I was over the works some today and find they had some good guns. Saw two old English pieces among the others. There are some splendid siege guns on the river hills. We got some new harness from the Rebels.
- July 6—We are gathering up caisson, horses and fitting out our battery. Two Rebels came in from Black River today.
- July 8—Hired a cook for our detachment today.
- July 11—The Rebels are being examined and marched out today. We received an address from Major General J. B. McPherson to the 17th Army Corps complimenting them for bravery and successful siege of Vicksburgh.
- July 12—Received by mail this morning a historical war map from brother Wm. F. Hart. We hear good news from Gettysburg today.
- July 13—It is reported that the Third Brigade has marching orders to Natchez, La. Several of our company are sick today.
- July 15—Northern papers arrived today. They all rejoice greatly over the news from Vicksburgh.
- July 16—A great many of our boys are sick. I wrote and mailed a war song to the "Buckeye State" (Lisbon, O.) today. There is a report today that Richmond is ours.
- July 20—Wrote a letter today to publisher of "School Visitor," Philadelphia, Pa.
- July 22—We learned that Morgan has passed through Camp Dennison on his Northern raid. Received the "Pittsburgh Advocate" of July 11.
- July 23—We are having our harness all thoroughly greased today.
- July 24—Late papers arrived this morning. They report Lee across the

Patomac again. Quite a lot of prisoners brought in from the rear today. The 13th Army Corps is to go up the Mississippi. Most all of the troops are to move from here and from Jackson to other important points on the Mississippi.

July 25—We painted our gun carriages today. Many troops moving in from Jackson and taking boats for some place up the river.

July 26—A heavy rain storm came up today about 3 o'clock and blew down nearly all the tents in camp.

July 28—We have moving orders this morning. Moved about 10 o'clock and came through town to Chickasaw Bluffs and are camped on the bottom land about one mile from the Mississippi river.

July 29—A lot of the boys left last night on furlough. We drew some horseblankets and whips today.

August 1—We hear a report that Morgan and his whole command were captured three miles south of New Lisbon, Ohio, and that he had an engagement six miles from Salineville, Ohio.

August 2—Am detailed for guard tonight.

August 3—We have an order for our company to turn over our guns and again report to the 32nd Regiment for duty. Quite a bad feeling prevails among the boys.

August 4—Lieut. Lee read the order to our Company this morning. Capt. Yost says we will not leave today. Yost says he has resigned and is going home.

August 5—Moved our guns early this morning and turned them over with the rest of the guns and then proceeded to the 32nd Regiment for Infantry duty.

August 8—Late St. Louis and Cincinnati papers received here today report the death of Jefferson Davis.

August 9—Our cook "Jo" is going home this morning, 12 miles this side of Port Gibson, Miss.

August 10—Got English rifles today. I was detailed this evening to bury a white woman who had had a leg shot off during the siege of Vicksburgh. She took poison by mistake causing her death. (Letter) Vicksburgh Hills, Miss., Aug. 10, 1863. We have been having it easy since the surrender of Vicksburgh, but was made sorry the other day on receiving orders to turn our battery over and report to the 32nd Regiment for duty. We preferred the artillery but there was more artillery in the Division than was needed.

August 16—Was detailed on guard today on the commissary boat "Illinois." Mosquitoes are bad.

August 17—Was taken very sick today.

August 18—I am no better today.

August 19—Received medicine from Surgeon today, not much better. Expressed my artillery jacket home today. The boat "City of Madison"

loaded with ammunition blowed up today. A great many men killed and wounded.

August 20—I am quite ill. I was moved to the Regimental Hospital at 3 o'clock. The Regiment left on a scout today.

August 21—I am no better. Moved to the Post Hospital at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

August 23—I am feeling better. Comrade Snowden is poorly and delirious.

August 24—No news from the Company. The mosquitoes are very bad here at night.

August 26—Dr. Bundiege came to see us today. He reports Oliver Cummings dead, having died yesterday. We went to the hospital boat "City of Memphis" and went aboard bound up river somewhere.

August 27—Had a chill last night. There are a great many sick aboard the boat. Boat loaded today and left Vicksburgh at six o'clock this evening bound up the river.

August 28—Boat ran all night. I am feeling quite poorly. Still moving all day.

August 29—Laid over five hours last night on account of fog. Arrived at Helena, Ark., at four o'clock this evening. Laid over one hour and then moved on.

August 30—Arrived at Memphis at five o'clock this morning. Left Memphis at three o'clock this afternoon. Arrived at Fort Pillow at midnight and laid over four hours.

August 31—Left Fort Pillow at four A. M., and arrived at Cairo at midnight.

September 1—Don't know where we are going yet. Some talk of going to Mound City, six miles above Cairo. Left Cairo at ten o'clock up the river. Run steady all day, but laid over tonight.

September 2—Moved about five o'clock this morning and ran steady all day. Stopped at dark on the sandbars about 25 miles below St. Louis. I am feeling quite poorly.

September 3—Moved about daylight for St. Louis. The Iron Mountain R. R. runs along the river here to St. Louis. Arrived at St. Louis and went to the hospital about one o'clock. A good place.

September 5—Bought a paper today. Wrote a letter to brother Will F. Hart this evening. Feel some better. One man died in our ward last night.

September 6—Wrote a letter to Lyman Milner and one to Theodore Twiss at Vicksburgh, Miss.

September 10—Feel quite poorly. Wrote a letter to Jas. G. Hogue, Vicksburgh, Miss.

September 13—A fire broke out and burned four steam boats on the river this morning.

September 23—(Letter) Lawson Hospital, St. Louis, Mo. I received a let-

ter from home on Monday and also a letter on the same day from Lydia A. Hart of Wisconsin. There is some talk of transferring the Ohio and Illinois soldiers from here to their own states, so I may get to Ohio yet. They have asked me where the hospital nearest my home is and I answered at Cleveland. I received a letter from Anson this morning. Lydia says that Lyman, Augus Smith and Matilda are going to Ohio this fall. I do not stand in need of anything that I know of at present. I still have a little money. I have not heard from my company since I left Vicksburgh.

October 13—(Letter to Brother William) Lawson Hospital, St. Louis, Mo. I am improving in health. I have not heard from any of you at home for sometime. I received a letter from Andy Fogo yesterday. The Ohio soldier boys get to vote in the hospital today. I am sorry I can't give Brough a vote this year. (Reason, not yet twenty-one years of age). I think they will all go for him, but one man so far as I can learn. He is for old Valandingham and ought to be cowhided and drummed out of the United States Army. I hope the election may pass off as quietly as possible in our state for fighting at home gives the enemy courage. Would it not be one of the most disgraceful things that ever happened in our state, should old Valandingham be elected Governor of Ohio. I cannot dream of the like, for my part. Well, William, I suppose you and Anson have enough to do with your farm labor since we boys have been gone. I hope this war may close soon and that I may soon get back to help you. I hear that George B. Clark is dead and also Hercules Ogle.

December 6—(Letter) Lawson Hospital, St. Louis, Mo. Our armies have been quite victorious for sometime past and I hope that the war may soon end and that the Union may stand undivided. I have not had a letter from the company lately. Many of the boys have been sick. Cousin Lyman Milner has had a hard turn of the fever and is yet in the hospital not able to do anything. I hope they won't have long to stay down there. I think I shall not go down the river before Spring. I expect to be put in the invalid Corps here, but the doctor may order it otherwise. They put a great many in this Corps; then a great many are getting discharges.

December 27—(Letter) Benton Barracks, General Hospital, St. Louis, Mo. I am feeling pretty well again. We get better food here and more opportunity to get out and exercise. Christmas has come and gone and '63 will not long be with us. I believe this Department is to be commanded by Gen. Rosecrans. I think Schofield should have been removed long ago. I see a good many are re-enlisting as Veteran Volunteers. I think I won't re-enlist unless my health becomes as good as it was while in Virginia, but I shall serve out my enlistment. You need not look for me home, for furloughs are hard to get anymore and I don't expect to get one. Well old Morgan was pretty sharp. They should have had a more secure penitentiary in Ohio. Well, I think Grant and his boys will have to go East before much good is done. (A prophecy which came true). I think Grant can't do much more where he is for a while, and we would vote the old gen-

tleman (for they call him old) up to lead the Patomac "Grand" Army a while. Everybody has his own opinion.

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January 2—Very cold. The Mississippi froze over today.

January 13—I am feeling better and am doing some nursing in the hospital.

January 17—Signed the payrolls today.

January 20—I took a severe chill and have considerable fever today.

January 22—Am dressing blisters for "Ward A" today and may continue.

January 25—Paymaster arrived today and gave us two months pay.

January 26—Have a job of carrying medicine.

January 27—The Mississippi is open this morning. I was on the middle watch last night.

January 29—Gen. Rosecrans arrived today.

January 31—I spent \$7.30 this month and received \$49.00.

February 3—Received two letters from my Company today.

February 7—Feel pretty weak and sick. Was restless all night and slept very little.

February 8—The surgeon thought I was taking varioloid, but I feel better today.

February 11—Received a present of a woolen shirt from our nurse, Miss Phillips.

February 14—Received a nice valentine today.

February 21—(Letter) I have changed my position since I last wrote you. I am now in Contraband Ward No. 3 as assistant ward master. The wardmaster has other duties which keep him away most all the time, so that I am in charge. There is a camp of contrabands quartered here and many of them got frozen about New Years and are very sick, so the ward is full all the time. A good many of them die. I sent to Mother \$25.00 about a week ago and I want to hear as soon as you receive it. Have you heard from Sterling lately? Where is he? I have not heard from him for a long time. Signed "Benjamin F. Hart, U. S. A." Directed to "Anson L. B. Hart, Supt. B. & New Lisbon R. R."

February 28—Received a letter from William F. today. He has re-enlisted in Yost's Company.

March 7—Received letters from Mother and Anson today.

March 11—Received a letter from my brother, Alex Hart.

March 13—I am feeling quite miserable today.

March 18—Received a letter from my old chum, C. B. Mason, with three dollars in it.

March 21—I have the ague again and feel pretty badly.

March 25—I have been appointed Ward Master.

March 28—Wrote letter to Chas. B. Mason, Indianapolis, Ind.

March 31—Received two copies of the "Cleveland Leader" today.

April 6—Wrote a letter to Aunt Catherine Hart, Morland's Grove, Ill.

April 8—Received a letter today from A. S. Fogo and wrote one to brother W. F. at Vicksburgh.

April 10—Received by mail today, two letters and a cake of maple sugar.

April 17—Received report of narrow escape of Gen. Grant.

April 19—Looked on my descriptive roll today. Am enlisted August 15 and mustered on the 29th. Was in nine engagements.

April 20—Went to town today (St. Louis). Attended G. F. Bailey's great show and circus.

April 25—Received a copy of the "Buckeye State" (New Lisbon) today.

April 27—Received a letter from Hector S. at Washington, D. C.

May 6—News of a forward move by the Army of the Patomac.

May 7—Was down town today and got some photographs. Visited the Lawson Hospital.

May 9—Good news from General Grant.

(Letter) Post Hospital, Benton Barracks, Ward No. 3, St. Louis, Mo. This morning's paper gives us glorious news of General Grant routing the rebels on the Virginia soil where they have heretofore bid defiance to our men. There has been some very hard fighting and Grant has thus far driven the enemy with awful loss. Our loss has been severe, some 4,000 wounded, having been out back toward Washington City. I think if Lee does anything, he may try to get in his work about the City, but I am hoping that the movements of Ben Butler may keep him out, and that he will with the aid of gun boats capture the city. He will get them by siege even if Lee does go in the works. I look for important events during this month. All the different commands are moving. McPherson is moving in Georgia. I trust this will strike terror to the enemy everywhere and that we may come out conquerors this summer. They are holding out very stubbornly against us, but the Union must and will triumph. Too much blood has been shed to give up now, even if every man has to be called out. Our state has again responded well with 100 day volunteers. I think they will be of great service at this time.

May 12—Good news from Gen. Grant.

May 13—Glorious news from Grant.

May 16—A shooting affray took place among the 3rd Regulars and one man who was wounded, died tonight.

May 19—Received letters from W. F., James G. Hogue, Mother and brother Anson.

May 20—Attended the State fair today.

May 21—Good news from Gen. Grant's Army.

- May 25—Bought a book today entitled "Chronicles of the Rebellion."
- May 27—Good news from Grant, but sad news from the 126 Ohio boys.
- May 29—Good news from Grant.
- June 2—Put on duty as Ward Druggist.
- June 11—Wrote letter to brother, Lyman Hart.
- June 18—Good news from Grant.
- June 19—Received a good letter from W. F. at Vicksburgh today; also copy of "Buckeye State."
- June 26—Wrote to Julius Hart.
- June 28—A Sergeant of the 135th Ill., Vol., gave me a silver ring today.
- July 4—Good news from Sherman.
- July 7—(Letter) I have been very busily engaged the past two weeks in this Ward with fever and measles. I had to give medicine to 60 patients, several blisters to make and dress and some men to cup and others to poultice. I have received pay again, \$45 from one of Uncle Sam's payments. I expect to receive the next and last at Columbus, at the expiration of my term of three years.
- July 11—Went down town and sent stationery to W. F. at Vicksburgh.
- July 12—Washington is reported captured by the rebels.
- July 13—A report is out stating that rebel guerrillas are seeking to burn up the barracks here.
- July 14—Sent tactics to W. F. at Vicksburgh.
- July 16—Received a letter from John Hart, relative to the death of Lydia.
- July 17—Wrote to Mother and to cousin, William M. Hart.
- July 25—The death of Major Gen. McPherson is reported.
- August 2—Received three letters from my company.
- August 6—(Letter to Mother) I was glad to hear from you again and also from Sterling through you. I hope he will get home again. I must try to get there also as soon as I can, to see him. My health is pretty good. I have a good place here. All one could wish to eat and a very good comfortable place to sleep. I don't know when and where I will be mustered out, being away from my command. I will leave here about the 20th. I cannot get home before the 10th of September and perhaps not then. I received a letter a few days ago from Julius Hart of Illinois. They are all as well as usual. The war does not appear to be going on very successfully at present. I don't see why it is so. Our country does appear to be one-half traitor any more. I would like to see our northern states fully united and determined to put down the rebellion. We have too many traitors in office. I hope to get home soon.
- August 12—J. R. Holder, 135 Ill., Vol., died today, loved by all who knew him.
- August 19—Good news today from Grant.

August 22—Went to Schofield Barracks. Could not get transportation until next Wednesday.

August 25—Got my transportation at three, and left St. Louis at four o'clock. Traveled all night.

August 26—Arrived at Cincinnati at seven o'clock this morning. Left for Columbus at eight o'clock. Arrived at Columbus at four P. M. Went in to Tod Barracks. A good many troops there.

August 29—Went into Columbus today and had my discharge made out.

August 30—Got my transportation and money. Left Columbus at three P. M. and arrived in Cleveland at nine P. M. Stopped at railroad hotel near depot.

August 31—Left Cleveland at 3:30 P. M. and arrived at Elmore at seven o'clock.

September 2—Went early with Ariel and Phebe, Guyton and Father D. to Freemont. Left there at 11:30 A. M., arrived in Cleveland at three P. M.

September 3—Left Cleveland at 8:30 o'clock A. M. for home. Arrived at Salineville at one o'clock. Left immediately for home. Arrived at home at four o'clock. Found all well as usual.

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